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PREFACE TO ORIGINAL EDITION

DURING the last few years great care has been successfully bestowed upon the pointing of the Psalter, so as to ensure an intelligent musical rendering of each clause of the separate verses; but, as far as I am aware, no attempt has been made to exhibit the general structure of the Psalms in such a manner as to suggest the variety of musical treatment which is required in different Psalms and in different parts of the same Psalms for their true interpretation. The present arrangement, which has been made and tested during the last six years of my work at Peterborough, is an endeavour to obtain this object, or at least to indicate what must be aimed at, as far as I can judge, in order that the chanting of the Psalms may contribute in the highest degree to the edifying of the Choir and of the Congregation.

It is evident upon the least reflection that no one uniform method of chanting can be applicable to the whole Psalter. Sometimes the verses are separately complete; sometimes they are arranged in couplets, sometimes in triplets; sometimes they are grouped in unequal but corresponding masses. In most cases the verses consist of two members, but not unfrequently they consist of three or four. If therefore the Psalms are sung antiphonally on one method in single verses, or in pairs of verses, or in half verses, the sense must constantly be sacrificed; and the Music instead of illuminating the thought will fatally obscure it.

Thus, for example, the second Psalm consists of four triplets, which offer remarkable internal correspondences. The teaching of the Psalm is wholly destroyed if the separate unity of these four stanzas is not clearly marked in chanting. There are cases again when the form of the composition is changed in its course. Thus in the nineteenth Psalm there is an abrupt transition from a triple to a double structure. The glory of God in the heavens is portrayed in two stanzas of three verses each: His glory in the Law, and man's consequent prayer, in two stanzas of four verses each. The simplest music which accentuates this form of composition necessarily directs the attention of the hearer to the progress of thought with which it corresponds. If no clear change of rendering meets the change of structure, the idea probably remains hidden. In the twenty-fourth Psalm, to take an illustration of a different kind, the question and answer in *vv.* 8, 10 ought clearly to be separated. There are also obvious changes of feeling, from confidence to prayer, from prayer to thanksgiving, and even alternations of feeling in the same Psalm, which call for musical recognition.

I have striven therefore, after long and repeated study, to mark the main divisions of the Psalms, and by very brief marginal notes to characterize them. The sharpest divisions are distinguished by a space and a dash (*e.g.* Ps. ii): divisions more or less clear by a broader or narrower space (*e.g.* Ps. i and Ps. iii)¹. In making them I have carefully weighed conflicting views. In some cases variations in my own judgment from time to time shew that the conclusion reached is uncertain; but in the majority of Psalms the same outline of structure is recognised by a general consent of commentators, and cannot fail to approve itself to the reader.

¹ In this edition the marginal notes are placed between the verses of the text and thus take the place of the broader spaces [1881].

It happens sometimes that the conjunctions which have been introduced in the Prayer-book Version mar the sequence of thought (i, 7, 'But the Lord' in place of 'For the Lord'; viii, 3, 'For I will' in place of 'When I'). These inaccuracies have necessarily been disregarded.

One important feature of many Psalms in relation to their musical rendering is the recurrence of 'refrains.' These are sometimes simple (Pss. viii, xlif, xlix, lvii, lxii, lxvii, lxxx, lxxxvii, xcix, cxv, cxvi, cxxxvi), sometimes double (Pss. xxiv, lix, cvii), and sometimes complicated (cxviii). In all cases they require to be marked in some way so as to bring out plainly the character of the composition. In respect to these again the irregular freedom of the English version injures in several cases the perfect symmetry of the original. Thus in Ps. xlix, 12, the additional clause taken from *v.* 13 destroys the perfect correspondence with *v.* 20; in cxvi, 13 (parallel to 16a), the words *unto the Lord* are omitted without authority, and *now* has the same claim to appear in *v.* 16 as in *v.* 13; in xlif, 6, 14, xlili, 5, there are three distinct renderings of one phrase (see also lix, 6, 14; cxviii, 1, 29; 10 ff, &c.).

The *Gloria* at the close of each Psalm must be regarded as one uniform refrain. In many cases (e.g. Pss. lxxxviii, cxlii f) it ought to be rendered by a distinct chant, that so the voice of praise may be clearly heard after the saddest utterances. Sometimes it can be made in this way to bind together a group of Psalms in a greater unity. Sometimes (as in Ps. cxix) it will mark by its measured recurrence successive breaks in the development of one idea.

In this connexion it may be noticed that the first four of the five Books into which the Hebrew Psalter is divided are closed by a special Doxology (Ps. xli, 13; lxxii, 18 f; lxxxix, 50b; cvi, 46). These Doxologies form no part of the Psalms to which they are appended, and should be treated distinctly. As

they stand at present, the Doxology in Ps. xli wholly mars the structure of the Psalm; and that in Ps. lxxxix mars the sense. The last Psalm is a grand Doxology to the whole Psalter.

The 'refrains' and doxologies are printed in italics.

It has not seemed desirable to introduce into the text the enigmatic word *Selah*. The term indeed appears to mark some change in the original musical accompaniment,—perhaps a passage for the instruments alone,—but its interpretation is most uncertain, and an examination of the passages in which it occurs leads to no positive result as to its general import. It is found at the close of the following verses in the Psalter, according to the numbering of the Prayer Book:

Ps. iii, 2, 4, 8.	Ps. lix, 5, 13.
„ iv, 2, 4.	„ lx, 4.
„ vii, 5.	„ lxi, 4.
„ ix, 16 (Higgaion Selah), 20.	„ lxii, 4, 8.
„ xx, 3.	„ lxvi, 3, 6, 13.
„ xxi, 2.	„ lxvii, 1, 4.
„ xxiv, 6, 10.	„ lxviii, 7, 19, 32.
„ xxxii, 4, 6, 8.	„ lxxxv, 4.
„ xxxix, 6, 12.	„ lxxxvi, 3, 9.
„ xliv, 9.	„ lxxxvii, 3, 9, 15.
„ xlvi, 3, 7, 11.	„ lxxxvi, 8.
„ xlvii, 4.	„ lxxxvii, 2.
„ xlviii, 7.	„ lxxxviii, 8.
„ xlix, 13, 15.	„ lxxxix, 4, 8.
„ l, 6.	„ lxxxv, 2.
„ lii, 4, 6.	„ lxxxvii, 2, 6.
„ liv, 3.	„ lxxxviii, 6, 10.
„ lv, 7 (20 after <i>down</i>).	„ lxxxix, 4, 37, 44, 46.
„ lvii, 3, 6.	„ cxl, 3, 5, 8.
	„ cxliii, 6.

In the Psalter of 1549 (printed by H. Powell for E. Whitchurch) the first *Sela* is printed with the comprehensive note: 'Sela is as much to say 'as always, continually, for euer, forsoith, verely, a 'lifting up of the voice, or to make a pause, and 'earnestly to consydre and to ponder the sentence.' It occurs again xxi, 2; xxxii, 6, 8; xxxix, 6 (mg.) 12; xliv, 9 (mg.); xlvi, 3, 11; xlvii, 4; xlviii, 7; xlix, 13, 15 (mg.) &c. The occurrence, it will be seen, is

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quite irregular, but it would justify the introduction of the term systematically if it were otherwise desired. It should however be added that I have not observed the term in any other early Psalter (*e.g.* Grafton 1549, Worcester 1549, Whitchurch 1552 (?), Jugge and Cawood 1560, Barker 1590).

The verse-division of the Psalms in the Prayer Book offers many difficulties in the way of their musical rendering. This differs considerably from the division in the Hebrew text, which is followed in the Bible Version. Where the Prayer Book division seriously obscured the structure of the Psalms, I have ventured to alter it (*e.g.* i, 3 f; iv, 6 f; v, 9 f; vii, 9 f; xvi, 4 f; xix, 14 f; xlvi, 2; lxiii, 1 f; lxxi, 1, 9; lxxviii, 38 f; xcii, 7; xcvi, 1 f; cxvi, 13, 16; cxxxix, 1).

In other cases I have not thought it well to disturb the existing arrangement (*e.g.* x, 9 f; xi, 4 f; xv, 5 ff; xviii, 1, 43; xxii, 29 f; xxvii, 6 f, 10 f; xxviii, 14 f; xxx, 6 f, 9 f; xxxi, 2 f; xxxix, 13 f; xliv, 21; xciii, 1 f; cv, 34; cxx, 3), though it might have been better to restore the division of lxxiii, 12, and to conform cviii, 8, 9 to the parallel lx, 7, 8.

The version has other faults of this kind which lie beyond any immediate remedy. The translation of Ps. xxix, for example, offers a striking instance of the destruction of that symmetry of composition which it is one of the natural aims of music to interpret. In *v.* 1 the introduction of the false duplicate rendering *bring young rams unto the Lord*, destroys the perfect correspondence between the first two and the last two verses, with the fourfold repetition of the sacred Name. Again in *v.* 3 the rendering, *it is the Lord that commandeth the waters, for the voice of the Lord is upon the waters*, entirely hides the first enunciation of the subject; and the transference of the third member of the verse (*it is the Lord that ruleth the sea*) to the beginning of *v.* 4 is ruinous to the symmetry of both verses (see also xiv, 11, and lii, 7, 8).

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The Prayer-book Psalter is indeed practically a 'survival' of our first English Bible. It is described in the Preface as following 'the translation of the great English Bible, set forth and used in the time of King Henry the Eighth and Edward the Sixth.' More exactly, it is, I believe, a reproduction, not critically precise, of the last revision of this Bible (Nov. 1540¹). The 'Great Bible' (1539-1540) was a revision by Coverdale of Matthew's Bible (1537), in which the Psalter was taken from Coverdale's own translation of 1535. The merits of this version, which render it 'smoother and more easy to sing,' caused it to be retained in 1662, when the other portions of Scripture used in Divine service were generally directed to be taken from the Revision of King James. These merits belong to all the work of Coverdale, an exquisite rhythm, a graceful freedom of rendering, and an endeavour to represent the spirit as well as the letter of the original. But at the same time the translation, which was very powerfully influenced by the Zurich German Bible, by the Latin Version of Münster, and by the Vulgate, is disfigured by many inaccuracies, and by some interpolations from the current and familiar Latin Vulgate.

In all the editions of the Great Bible which I have examined, these interpolations from the Latin are distinctly marked by difference of type or by brackets according to Coverdale's expressed purpose. They are also partially distinguished in the earliest Psalters² 'pointed for use in Churches' (Powell for Whitchurch, Grafton [August], and Worcester [September] 1549). But the round brackets which are used to distinguish them are used even in the same verses (*e.g.* Ps. ii, 12) for a different purpose, and nearly a fourth, including the great interpolation in Ps. xiv (*vv.* 7—9), are not marked at all. In the

¹ The strange typographical error in Ps. lxviii, 4, *yea* for *Jah* (*Ja*, April 1540), is corrected.

² The Psalter of 1548 (printed by R. Car) is Coverdale's Version with very slight variations: *e.g.* Ps. li, 1.

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edition of 1564 by Jugge and Cawood many more are neglected. In the edition of Barker, 1590, a few only are marked (*e.g.* xiv, 2, 9; xviii, 49; xxii, 1, 16, &c.). These facts shew how little critical care was used in preparing the Psalter for use in Churches; but it is clear that it would be in accordance with the purpose of those who first printed it in this form to distinguish all the additions to the Hebrew text¹.

The following is a list of the phrases which are marked in the Great Bible of April, 1540:

Ps. i, 5, <i>from the face of the earth.</i>	Ps. xxxviii, 22, <i>God.</i>
„ ii, 11, <i>unto him.</i>	„ xli, 1, <i>and needy.</i>
„ „ 12, <i>right.</i>	„ xlvi, 12, <i>that trouble me.</i>
„ „ 2, (<i>in</i>) <i>his (God).</i>	„ „ 10, <i>wrought...colours.</i>
„ „ 8, <i>and oil.</i>	„ „ 12, <i>God.</i>
„ „ 12, <i>strong and patient.</i>	„ xlvi, 6, (<i>to</i>) <i>our (God).</i>
„ „ 5, <i>the poor.</i>	„ xlvi, 3, <i>of the earth.</i>
„ „ 6, <i>yea, I will...Highest.</i>	„ 1, 21, <i>wickedly.</i>
„ „ 2, <i>no not one.</i>	„ li, 1, <i>great.</i>
„ „ „ 5-7, <i>Their throat...their eyes.</i>	„ lv, 13, <i>peradventure.</i>
„ „ „ 9, <i>even where no fear was.</i>	„ „ 25, <i>O Lord.</i>
„ „ „ 6, <i>holy.</i>	„ lxv, 1, <i>in Jerusalem.</i>
„ „ „ 49, <i>cruel.</i>	„ lxvii, 1, <i>and be merciful unto us.</i>
„ „ „ 12, <i>my (secret faults).</i>	„ lxxi, 7, <i>that I may sing of thy glory.</i>
„ „ „ 14, <i>alway.</i>	„ lxxi, 18, <i>again.</i>
„ „ „ 9, <i>upon thee.</i>	„ lxxiii, 12, <i>and I said.</i>
„ „ „ 1, <i>look upon me.</i>	„ „ 27, <i>in the gates...Sion.</i>
„ „ „ 16, <i>many (dogs).</i>	„ lxxvii, 13, (<i>as</i>) <i>our (God).</i>
„ „ „ 31, <i>my (seed).</i>	„ lxxxv, 8, <i>concerning me.</i>
„ „ „ 32, <i>the heavens.</i>	„ xc, 6, <i>dried up.</i>
„ „ „ 6, <i>thy (loving-kindness).</i>	„ xcvi, 7, <i>the Lord.</i>
„ „ „ 4, <i>his neighbour.</i>	„ cviii, 1, <i>my heart is ready (2^o).</i>
„ „ „ 3, <i>neither destroy me.</i>	„ cxv, 9, <i>thou house of.</i>
„ „ „ 1, <i>bring young rams unto the Lord.</i>	„ cxviii, 2, <i>that he is gracious and.</i>
„ „ „ 7, <i>from me.</i>	„ cxviii, 25, <i>me.</i>
„ „ „ 2, <i>unto him.</i>	„ cxix, 97, <i>Lord.</i>
„ „ „ „ 10, <i>and casteth...princes.</i>	„ cxx, 6, <i>unto them.</i>
„ „ „ „ 12, <i>all.</i>	„ cxxxii, 4, <i>neither...rest.</i>
„ „ „ „ 29, <i>The unrighteous shall be punished.</i>	„ cxxxiv, 1, <i>now.</i>
„ „ „ „ 37, <i>his place.</i>	„ „ 2, <i>even in...God.</i>
„ „ „ „ 16, <i>even mine enemies.</i>	„ cxxxvi, 27, <i>O give...ever.</i>
	„ cxxxvii, 1, <i>thee O (Sion).</i>
	„ cxlv, 15, <i>O Lord.</i>
	„ cxlvii, 8, <i>and herb...man.</i>
	„ cxlviii, 5, <i>he spake...made.</i>

¹ As an example of the strange carelessness which prevailed, it may be mentioned that Ps. xxxvii, 29 is printed *The righteous shall be punished* in Grafton, Worcester (1549), Whitchurch (1552?), Jugge and Cawood (1564), Barker (1590).

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It is not easy to see on what principle these additions were taken; for there are many other interpolations of the Vulgate Latin which are unnoticed though they have equal claims to recognition: *e.g.* Pss. v, 6, 10, 12; vii, 2; xviii, 35; xliv, 26; xlvi, 4; xlviii, 11; lii, 6; lxvi, 3; lxviii, 32; cviii, 2; cxviii, 28; cxxxviii, 1; cxlvi, 13.

The Latin titles of the Psalms are, it may be added, the first words of the “Vulgate” version. This version having been made from the Greek (LXX) and not from the Hebrew, differs widely in many places from the original, so that the headings offer some remarkable variations from the English version, *e.g.* Pss. xxxvi, lxii, lxxiii, lxxx, lxxxiii. The common heading of Ps. cix (*Deus laudum*) is a mere error which I have ventured to correct.

This is not the place to enter further in detail into the mistakes of the Prayer-book Psalter. It is not perhaps too much to hope that the unquestionable errors of rendering and form may be dealt with by competent authority at no distant period. The question was prepared for Convocation in 1689, and it was proposed by the Commissioners ‘to leave ‘wholly to Convocation to consider and determine ‘whether the amendment of the reading Psalms (as ‘they are called) made by the Bishop of St Asaph [Lloyd] and Dr Kidder or that of the Bible [1611] ‘shall be inserted in the Prayer-book¹.’

If such a revision were undertaken, it should be guided by the spirit of Coverdale. The precise and literal exactness which is required in a version of Scripture for study is not required in a version for use in public service. For such a purpose the main object must be to secure a plain and rhythmical expression of the sense of the original, even at the sacrifice of the letter; and any one who will compare the Prayer-book Psalter with the original will be able to convince himself that the changes which are needed to remove distinct mistakes could be made without injury to its general character.

¹ Cardwell, *Hist. of Conferences*, p. 431.

But even as it is the present text of the Prayer-book Psalter preserves in the main the great features of the structure of the Psalms which Music has to illustrate. In this respect any musician who may accept the general principles of the present arrangement will determine for himself how they can best be carried out in the particular circumstances with which he has to deal. Every effect necessary to give a true musical interpretation of the Psalms can be secured by the simplest means, by the free change of the melody, by the separate use of boys' and men's voices¹, by the introduction of unison and 'full' passages. And actual experience has shewn that such variations are neither laborious nor distracting. On the contrary, the light which is thrown by the music upon the text gives the words a new force and life; and the chanting becomes a true commentary upon the words, kindling a deeper devotion by a finer intelligence.

The experience of six years' work at Peterborough, where I have had the sympathetic help of all our musical staff, and especially of our organist Dr Haydn Keeton, in embodying the ideas which have been expressed, may justify me in giving a few examples of renderings of Psalms which have been found to be effective. These will indicate a method capable of large modifications.

Ps. ii. A triple chant taken by
Dec. and *Cant.* in suc-
 cection, with a corre-
 sponding double chant
 for the *Gloria*.
 „ vi, 1—3. Alternate *D.* and *C.*
 4—7. In pairs, *D.* and *C.*
 8—10. Change. Alter-
 nate *D.* and *C.*
 „ xv, 1. Men unison.
 2. Boys unison.
 3—6. Alternate *D.* and
C.

Ps. xv, 7. Full unison.
 „ xxiv, 1, 2. Full.
 3. Men unison.
 4. Boys unison.
 5, 6. Full.
 7. Men unison.
 8a. Boys unison.
 8b. Men unison.
 9.
 10a. Boys unison.
 10b. Full unison.
 „ lxvii, 1, 2; 6, 7. Alternate
D. and *C.*

¹ 'The alternation between boys' and women's voices, when the Choir combines male and female singers, has a very striking effect.' R. B.-B.

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Ps. lxvii, 3, 5. Full unison.	The refrain, throughout in unison, and in the triplets boys, men, full, in succession.
4. Full harmony.	
„ lxxxii, 1, 8. Full unison.	
2—4. <i>Dec.</i>	
5—7. <i>Cant.</i>	
„ xciv, 1. Boys unison.	Ps. cxxxvii, 1—3. Men unison.
2. Men unison.	4—6. Boys unison.
3. Full unison.	7—9. Change. Alternate <i>D.</i> and <i>C.</i> : <i>v.</i> 9 Full unison.
4, 5. Alternate <i>D.</i> and <i>C.</i>	<i>Gloria</i> : Change.
6. Full harmony.	
7. Full unison.	
8—11. Alternate <i>D.</i> and <i>C.</i>	„ cxlvii, 1—3, 4—6. Triple chant : <i>D.</i> and <i>C.</i>
„ c, 1, 2. Boys unison.	7a. Boys <i>Dec.</i> (unison).
3, 4. Men unison.	7b. Boys <i>Cant.</i> „
<i>Gloria</i> (same chant) :	8a. Men <i>Dec.</i> „
Full harmony.	8b. Men <i>Cant.</i> „
„ cxxxiv, 1—3. Men unison.	9. Full harmony.
4. Boys unison.	10. Full unison.
„ cxxxvi, 1—3. Full unison.	„ cl, 1, 2. Full harmony.
4—18. In triplets	3a. Boys unison
<i>D.</i> and <i>C.</i>	3b. Men „
19—22. Alternate	4a. Boys „
23—25. Triplet.	5a. Boys „
26, 27. Full unison.	5b. Men „
	6. Full unison : slower.

In some cases a short phrase on the Organ has an admirable effect in preparing for the change of chant (e.g. Ps. cxxxvii, 6) : in others an abrupt change is more full of meaning.

Many Psalms invite a more elaborate treatment (e.g. xviii, lxviii, cvi, cxxxii), and for a most instructive model I may refer to Dr Naylor's arrangement of Ps. lxxviii.

I need scarcely say that I could not have adequately tested the present arrangement of the Psalms without the hearty co-operation of our successive Precentors, the Rev. C. Daymond, Rev. W. F. Wilkinson, Rev. T. H. Vines, and Rev. S. Phillips, and from first to last of Dr H. Keeton, to whom I offer my warmest thanks. But above all I must acknowledge my debt to the Rev. R. Brown Borthwick, Vicar of All Saints, Scarborough; without whose advice and encouragement I should not have ventured to print the Psalter. While we were occupied with tentative 'paragraph' chanting at Peterborough, Mr Brown Borthwick sent me an account of a

musical rendering of Ps. lxxviii by Dr Naylor, the organist of All Saints, which though far more elaborate in treatment was in principle identical with our own. This independent and striking confirmation of the method which I desired to see carried out, led to further communications with Mr Brown Borthwick, which shewed that he had formed the plan of a Psalter similar in its essential features to this, which has been completed with the assistance of his constant counsel. I should be unwilling to make Mr Brown Borthwick responsible for all the details in the execution of the plan, but I should be no less unwilling that he should not fully share any credit which may attach to the general conception; and every sheet has had the advantage of his criticism.

The pointing is, with few exceptions, taken by the permission of the Syndics of the Cambridge University Press from 'the Pointed Prayer Book,' with the addition of an asterisk to mark one feature in the composition of some Psalms which is generally overlooked. Most of the verses of the Psalms consist, as has been already remarked, of two parallel members, and these are almost always correctly divided by the central 'point' (yet see xv, 2); but a considerable number of verses consist of three (see *e.g.* lxxvii, 16—19) or of four members. These structural breaks are generally marked by an asterisk; but in some cases the translation did not allow this method of notation (*e.g.* xxii, 14). A short pause in the recitation before the asterisk will sufficiently indicate the form of the composition.

If the book contributes in any degree to suggest new modes of interpreting the Psalms in our public worship, the labour which has been spent upon it will not have been in vain. In our Cathedrals and great Churches the Psalms are the centre of the service. They furnish splendid opportunities for the consecration of the highest gifts of musical genius and musical skill; and no nobler task can be

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given to the religious artist than to interpret them in a universal language. This is his proper office. The student of Theology can only offer him some clue to their structure and to their characteristic lessons in the hope that it may be of service to him as he comes to offer his own gift in Divine worship.

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PREFACE TO REVISED EDITION

THIS Psalter is reissued in the earnest desire to help all those who, "in Quires and Places where they sing," endeavour to render the Psalms with good reverent chanting. In order to adapt it more fully to the needs of choirs, the following principles have been adopted :

I. The accentuation of a certain syllable in each recitation bar (*i.e.* the first bar in each division or part of an Anglican chant)—an absolute necessity in good chanting—is shown by the use of blacker or slightly larger type for such syllable, but in no case has this accent been allowed to interfere with the natural expression of the words.

The word "accentuation" must not be considered as implying a forcible stress or pressure on such syllable; it really indicates a stage from which time is to be counted or considered. As the recitation bar contains a semibreve, or its equivalent, two minim beats must always be allowed, counted or imagined, from the accented syllable, before proceeding to the next bar.

II. For the sake of simplification, only those commas have been retained which are to be observed. All redundant signs have been omitted.

In some Psalters, commas, colons and semi-colons are frequently inserted, even when it is not intended that they should be observed in

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chanting ; also, asterisks or other marks are used to show where a fresh breath may be taken by the singers. Such plans have not been felt advisable here, as the commas, which have purposely been made rather prominent, will have to be strictly observed to secure good pointing, and will also show where a fresh breath may be taken.

III. The Psalms have been divided into paragraphs, to enable those who are interpreting them better to understand their meaning and teaching. In this respect, the previous edition of the present Psalter has been followed in the main, but not invariably.

It is not essential that these divisions should be followed where the Psalms are treated musically, either by the use of different chants, or by variety in the form of accompaniment.

IV. In some few cases, the end of a paragraph has been indicated by inserting in the left-hand margin the words "2nd part." This is intended as a suggestion that the later half of a double chant should be repeated in order that the divisions of the Psalm may be more clearly observed.

V. The small perpendicular lines in the Psalter correspond with the bar and double bar marks of the chants.

Large dots have been used as half-bar marks for other bars than the first and last in each part of a chant.

VI. The beginning of the second part of each verse is placed in all cases at the beginning of a fresh line and is marked by a thin double bar on the left-hand side of the first word.

VII. When a syllable has to be sustained beyond its ordinary length, a short horizontal line

will be found after such syllable to show how long the syllable is to continue. Each line represents the value of a minim or half-bar.

VIII. No marks of expression—or of light and shade for musical treatment—have been added, as it was felt that these, to some extent, must vary with the chants which may be used in each particular case.

In sincere hope that this revised Psalter will prove helpful to the better rendering of one of the most beautiful parts of our Church Service, it is now humbly submitted for the use of Choirs and other lovers of Psalm-singing.

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The Canticles and Hymns

At Morning Prayer

VENITE, EXULTEMUS DOMINO.

PSALM XCV.

A call to worship.

O COME let us **sing** | unto • the | Lord ||
|| let us heartily **rejoice** in the | strength • of |
our • sal- | -vation.

2 Let us come before his **presence** with | thanks- • — |
-giving ||
|| and **shew** ourselves | glad • in | him • with | psalms.

The greatness of God.

3 For the **Lord** is a | great • — | God ||
|| and a **great** | King • a- | -bove • all | gods.
4 In his hand are all the **corners** | of • the | earth ||
|| and the **strength** of the | hills • is | his • — | also.
5 The **sea** is his | and • he | made it ||
|| and his **hands** pre- | -pared • the | dry • — | land.

A renewed call.

6 O come let us **worship** and | fall • — | down ||
|| and **kneel** be- | -fore • the | Lord • our | Maker.
7 For **he** is the | Lord • our | God ||
|| and we are the people of his pasture, **and** the |
sheep • — | of • his | hand.

Warnings against neglect.

8 To-day if ye will hear his voice, **harden** | not • your |
hearts ||
|| as in the provocation, and as in the **day** of tempt- |
-a- • -tion | in • the | wilderness ;

9 When your **fathers** | tempt- • -ed | me ||
 || **proved** | me • and | saw • my | works.
 10 Forty years long was I grieved with **this** gener- |
 -ation • and | said ||
 || It is a people that do err in their hearts, **for** they |
 have • not | known • my | ways;
 11 Unto whom I **swore** | in • my | wrath ||
 || that they **should** not | en- • -ter | into • my | rest.
 Glory be to the **Father** and | to • the | Son ||
 || **and** | to • the | Ho- • -ly | Ghost;
 As it was in the beginning, is **now** and | ev- • -er |
 shall be ||
 || **world** without | end • — | A- • — | -men.

TE DEUM LAUDAMUS.

The praise of God on earth and in heaven.

WE **praise** | thee • O | God ||
 || we **acknowledge** | thee • to | be • the | Lord.
 2 All the **earth** doth | wor- • -ship | thee ||
 || **the** | Fa- • -ther | ev- • -er- | -lasting.
 3 To thee all **Angels** | cry • a- | -loud ||
 || the **heavens** and | all • the | Powers • there- | -in.
 4 To thee **Cherubin** and | Ser- • -aph- | -in ||
 || con- | -tinu- • -al- | -ly • do | cry,
 5 **Holy** | Ho- • -ly | **Holy** ||
 || **Lord** | God • of | Sab- • -a- | -oth;
 6 Heaven and earth are **full** of the | Ma- • -jes- | -ty ||
 || **of** | — • — | thy • — | Glory.
 7 The glorious **company** | of • the A- | -postles ||
 || **praise** | — • — | — • — | thee.
 8 The goodly **fellowship** | of • the | Prophets ||
 || **praise** | — • — | — • — | thee.
 2nd part 9 The **noble** | army • of | Martyrs ||
 || **praise** | — • — | — • — | thee.

A confession of Faith.

10 The holy **Church** throughout | all • the | world ||
 || **doth** ac- | -know- • — | -ledge • — | thee;
 11 **The** | Fa- • — | -ther ||
 || **of** an | infin- • -ite | Ma- • -jes- | -ty;

12 Thine honour | -a- • -ble | true ||
 || and | on- • — | -ly • — | Son ;

13 Also the | Ho- • -ly | Ghost ||
 || the | Com- • — | -fort- • — | -er.

14 Thou art the | King • of | Glory ||
 || o | — • — | — • — | Christ.

15 Thou art the ever- | -last- • -ing | Son ||
 || of | — • the | Fa- • — | -ther.

16 When thou tookest upon thee to de- | -liv- • -er |
 man ||
 || thou didst not ab- | -hor • the | Vir- • -gin's | womb.

17 When thou hadst overcome the | sharpness • of |
 death ||
 || thou didst open the Kingdom of | Heaven • to |
 all • be- | -lievers.

18 Thou sittest at the right | hand • of | God ||
 || in the | Glo- • -ry | of • the | Father.

19 We believe that | thou • shalt | come ||
 || to | be • — | our • — | Judge.

Prayer resting on trust.

20 We therefore pray thee | help • thy | servants ||
 || whom thou hast redeemed | with • thy |
 pre- • -cious | blood.

21 Make them to be numbered | with • thy | Saints ||
 || in | glo- • -ry | ev- • -er- | -lasting.

22 O Lord | save • thy | people ||
 || and | bless • thine | her- • -it- | -age.

23 Gov- | — • -ern | them ||
 || and | lift • them | up • for | ever.

24 Day | by • — | day ||
 || we | mag- • -ni- | -fy • — | thee ;

25 And we | worship • thy | Name ||
 || ever | world • with- | -out • — | end.

26 Vouch- | -safe • O | Lord ||
 || to keep us this | day • with- | -out • — | sin.

27 O Lord have | mercy • up- | -on us ||
 || have | mercy • up- | -on • — | us.

28 O Lord, let thy mercy | lighten • up- | -on us ||
 || as our | trust • — | is • in | thee.

29 O Lord, in thee | have • I | trusted ||
 || let me | nev- • -er | be • con- | -founded.

BENEDICITE, OMNIA OPERA.

Call to universal praise

O ALL ye Works of the **Lord** | bless • ye the |
 Lord ||
 || **praise** him and | magni- • -fy | him • for | ever.

from the unseen powers in Heaven above;

2 O ye Angels of the **Lord** | bless • ye the | Lord ||
 || **praise** him and | magni- • -fy | him • for | ever.

3 O ye **Heavens** | bless • ye the | Lord ||
 || **praise** him and | magni- • -fy | him • for | ever.

4 O ye Waters that be above the **Firmament** |
 bless • ye the | Lord ||

|| **praise** him and | magni- • -fy | him • for | ever.

5 O all ye Powers of the **Lord** | bless • ye the | Lord ||
 || **praise** him and | magni- • -fy | him • for | ever.

from the visible powers of the Sky;

6 O ye Sun and **Moon** | bless • ye the | Lord ||
 || **praise** him and | magni- • -fy | him • for | ever.

7 O ye Stars of **Heaven** | bless • ye the | Lord ||
 || **praise** him and | magni- • -fy | him • for | ever.

8 O ye Showers and **Dew** | bless • ye the | Lord ||
 || **praise** him and | magni- • -fy | him • for | ever.

9 O ye Winds of **God** | bless • ye the | Lord ||
 || **praise** him and | magni- • -fy | him • for | ever.

10 O ye Fire and **Heat** | bless • ye the | Lord ||
 || **praise** him and | magni- • -fy | him • for | ever.

11 O ye Winter and **Summer** | bless • ye the | Lord ||
 || **praise** him and | magni- • -fy | him • for | ever.

12 O ye Dews and **Frosts** | bless • ye the | Lord ||
 || **praise** him and | magni- • -fy | him • for | ever.

13 O ye Frost and **Cold** | bless • ye the | Lord ||
 || **praise** him and | magni- • -fy | him • for | ever.

14 O ye Ice and **Snow** | bless • ye the | Lord ||
 || **praise** him and | magni- • -fy | him • for | ever.

15 O ye Nights and **Days** | bless • ye the | Lord ||
 || **praise** him and | magni- • -fy | him • for | ever.

16 O ye Light and **Darkness** | bless • ye the | Lord ||
 || **praise** him and | magni- • -fy | him • for | ever.

17 O ye Lightnings and **Clouds** | bless • ye the | Lord ||
 || **praise** him and | magni- • -fy | him • for | ever.

from Earth and the manifold Creatures of the earth;

18 O let the **Earth** | bless • the | Lord ||
 || yea let it **praise** him and | magni- • -fy | him • for |
 ever.

19 O ye Mountains and **Hills** | bless • ye the | Lord ||
 || **praise** him and | magni- • -fy | him • for | ever.

20 O all ye Green Things upon the **Earth** |
 bless • ye the | Lord ||
 || **praise** him and | magni- • -fy | him • for | ever.

21 O ye **Wells** | bless • ye the | Lord ||
 || **praise** him and | magni- • -fy | him • for | ever.

22 O ye Seas and **Floods** | bless • ye the | Lord ||
 || **praise** him and | magni- • -fy | him • for | ever.

23 O ye Whales, and all that move in the **Waters** |
 bless • ye the | Lord ||
 || **praise** him and | magni- • -fy | him • for | ever.

24 O all ye Fowls of the **Air** | bless • ye the | Lord ||
 || **praise** him and | magni- • -fy | him • for | ever.

25 O all ye Beasts and **Cattle** | bless • ye the | Lord ||
 || **praise** him and | magni- • -fy | him • for | ever.

from Men in their various estates.

26 O ye Children of **Men** | bless • ye the | Lord ||
 || **praise** him and | magni- • -fy | him • for | ever.

27 O let **Israel** | bless • the | Lord ||
 || **praise** him and | magni- • -fy | him • for | ever.

28 O ye **Priests** of the Lord | bless • ye the | Lord ||
 || **praise** him and | magni- • -fy | him • for | ever.

29 O ye Servants of the **Lord** | bless • ye the | Lord ||
 || **praise** him and | magni- • -fy | him • for | ever.

30 O ye Spirits and Souls of the **Righteous** |
 bless • ye the | Lord ||
 || **praise** him and | magni- • -fy | him • for | ever.

31 O ye holy and humble Men of **heart** | bless • ye the |
 Lord ||
 || **praise** him and | magni- • -fy | him • for | ever.

32 O Ananias, Azarias, and **Misael** | bless • ye the |
 Lord ||
 || **praise** him and | magni- • -fy | him • for | ever.

Glory be to the **Father** and | to • the | Son ||

|| and | to • the | Ho- • -ly | Ghost;

As it was in the beginning, is **now** and | ev- • -er |
 shall be ||

|| **world** without | end • — | A- • — | -men.

BENEDICTUS.

ST. LUKE I. 68.

The fulfilment of old prophecy.

BLESSED be the Lord **God** of | Is- • -ra- | -el ||
 || for he hath **visited** | and • re- | -deemed • his |
 people ;

2 And hath raised up a **mighty** sal- | -va- • -tion |
 for us ||
 || in the **house** | of • his | ser- • -vant | David ;

3 As he spake by the **mouth** of his | ho- • -ly |
 Prophets ||
 || which have **been** | since • the | world • be- | -gan ;

4 That we should be **saved** | from • our | enemies ||
 || and **from** the | hands • of | all • that | hate us ;

5 To perform the **mercy** **promised** | to • our |
 forefathers ||
 || **and** to re- | -member • his | ho- • -ly | **Covenant** ;

6 To perform the **oath** which he **swore** to our |
 fore- • -father | **Abraham** ||
 || **that** | he • would | give • — | us ;

7 That we being delivered out of the **hand** | of • our |
 enemies ||
 || might **serve** | him • with- | -out • — | fear ;

8 In holiness and **righteousness** be- | -fore • — | him ||
 || **all** the | days • — | of • our | life.

The work of the new Elijah.

9 And thou **Child** **shalt** be called the **Prophet** |
 of • the | **Highest** ||
 || for thou shalt go before the face of the **Lord** |
 to • pre- | -pare • his | ways ;

10 To give knowledge of **salvation** | unto • his | **people** ||
 || **for** the re- | -miss- • -ion | of • their | sins ,

11 Through the tender **mercy** | of • our | **God** ||
 || whereby the **day**-spring from on | high • hath |
 visit- • -ed | us ;

12 To give light to them that sit in darkness, and **in** |
 the | shadow • of | death ||
 || and to guide our **feet** | into • the | way • of | **peace**.

Glory be to the **F**ather and | to • the | **S**on ||
 || **and** | to • the | **H**o- • -ly | **G**host;
 As it was in the beginning, is **n**ow and | ev- • -er |
 shall be ||
 || **w**orld without | end • — | **A**• — | -men.

JUBILATE DEO.

PSALM C.

A twofold call and ground for worship.

O BE joyful in the **L**ord | all • ye | lands ||
 || serve the Lord with gladness, and come
 before his | pres- • -ence | with • a | song.

2 Be ye sure that the **L**ord | he • is | **G**od ||
 || it is he that hath made us, and not we ourselves,
 we are his people, **and** the | sheep • — | of • his |
 pasture.

3 O go your way into his gates with thanksgiving,
 and into his | courts • with | praise ||
 || be thankful unto him, and **speak** | good • — |
 of • his | Name.

4 For the Lord is gracious, his **m**ercy is | ev- • -er- |
 -lasting ||
 || and his truth endureth from **g**ener- | -ation • to |
 gen- • -er- | -ation.

Glory be to the **F**ather and | to • the | **S**on ||
 || **and** | to • the | **H**o- • -ly | **G**host;
 As it was in the beginning, is **n**ow and | ev- • -er |
 shall be ||
 || **w**orld without | end • — | **A**• — | -men.

QUICUNQUE VULT.

WHOSOEVER will be | sav- • -ed ||
 || before all things it is necessary that he
hold the | Catho- • -lick | **F**aith.

2 Which **F**aith except every one do keep **w**hole and
 unde- | -fil- • -ed ||
 || without doubt he shall **p**erish | ev- • -er- |
 -lastingly.

A confession of faith in the Holy Trinity.

- 3 And the Catholick **Faith** is | this • — ||
|| that we worship one God in Trinity, and **Trini-** |
-ty • in | Unity;
- 4 Neither confounding the | Per- • -sons ||
|| **nor** di- | -viding • the | Substance.
- 5 For there is one Person of the Father, another of
the | Son • — ||
|| and **another** of the | Ho- • -ly | Ghost.
- 6 But the Godhead of the Father, of the Son, and of
the Holy Ghost, is **all** | one • — ||
|| the Glory equal, the **Majesty** | co- • -e- | -ternal.
- 7 Such as the Father is, **such** is the | Son • — ||
|| and **such** is the | Ho- • -ly | Ghost.
- 8 The Father uncreate, the **Son** uncre- | -ate • — ||
|| and the Holy **Ghost** | un- • -cre- | -ate.
- 9 The Father incomprehensible, the **Son** incompre- |
-hensi- • -ble ||
|| and the Holy **Ghost** in- | -com- • -pre- | -hensible.
- 10 The Father eternal, the **Son** e- | -ter- • -nal ||
|| and the **Holy** | Ghost • e- | -ternal.
- 11 And yet they are not **three** e- | -ter- • -nals ||
|| **but** | one • e- | -ternal.
- 12 As also there are not three incomprehensibles, nor
three uncre- | -a- • -ted ||
|| but one uncreated, and **one** in- | -com- • -pre- |
-hensible.
- 13 So likewise the Father is Almighty, the **Son** Al- |
-might- • -y ||
|| and the **Holy** | Ghost • Al- | -mighty.
- 14 And yet they are not **three** Al- | -might- • -ies ||
|| **but** | one • Al- | -mighty.
- 15 So the Father is God, the **Son** is | God • — ||
|| and the **Holy** | Ghost • is | God.
- 16 And yet they are not **three** | Gods • — ||
|| **but** | one • — | God.
- 17 So likewise the Father is Lord, the **Son** | Lord • — ||
|| and the **Holy** | Ghost • — | Lord.
- 18 And yet not **three** | Lords • — ||
|| **but** | one • — | Lord.
- 19 For like as we are compelled by the **Christian** |
veri- • -ty ||
|| to acknowledge every Person by Himself to be |
God • and | Lord;

20 So are we forbidden by the **Catholick** Re- | -li- • -gion ||
 || to say, There be three **Gods** or | three • — | Lords.

21 The Father is **made** of | none • — ||
 || neither created | nor • be- | -gotten.

22 The Son is of the **Father** a- | -lone • — ||
 || not made, nor created | but • be- | -gotten.

23 The Holy Ghost is of the Father and **of the** | Son • — ||
 || neither made, nor created, nor **begotten** | but • pro-
 -ceeding.

24 So there is one Father, not three Fathers, one **Son**
 not | three • Sons ||
 || one Holy Ghost, not **three** | Ho- • -ly | Ghosts.

25 And in this Trinity none is afore or **after** | oth- • -er ||
 || none is **greater** or | less than • an- | -other;

26 But the whole three Persons are co-**eternal** to- |
 -ge- • -ther ||
 || **and** | co- • — | -equal.

27 So that in all things, **as** is a- | -fore- • -said ||
 || the Unity in Trinity, and the Trinity in **Unity** |
 is • to be | worshipped.

28 He therefore that **will** be | sav- • -ed ||
 || must thus **think** | of • the | Trinity.

29 Furthermore, it is necessary to everlasting sal- |
 -va- • -tion ||
 || that he also believe rightly the Incarnation of our
Lord | Je- • -sus | Christ.

A confession of faith in the Incarnation.

30 For the right Faith is, that we **believe** and con- |
 -fess • — ||
 || that our Lord Jesus Christ, the Son of **God** is |
 God • and | Man ;

31 God, of the Substance of the Father, begotten **before**
 the | worlds • — ||
 || and Man, of the Substance of his Mother, **born** |
 in • the | world.

32 Perfect God, and **perfect** | Man • — ||
 || of a reasonable soul and **human** | flesh • sub- |
 -sisting.

33 Equal to the Father, as **touching** his | God- • -head ||
 || and inferior to the **Father** as | **touching** • his |
 Manhood.

34 Who although he be **God** and | Man • — ||
 || yet he is **not two** but | one • — | Christ.

35 One, not by conversion of the **Godhead** into |
flesh • — ||
|| but by taking of the **Manhood** | in- • -to | God.

36 One altogether, not by confusion of | sub- • -stance ||
|| **but** by | unity • of | Person.

37 For as the reasonable soul and flesh is **one** | man • — ||
|| so **God** and Man is | one • — | Christ.

38 Who suffered for **our** sal- | -va- • -tion ||
|| descended into hell, rose again the **third** day |
from • the | dead.

39 He ascended into heaven, he sitteth on the right
hand of the Father, **God** Al- | -might- • -y ||
|| from whence he shall come to judge the **quick** |
and • the | dead.

40 At whose coming all men shall rise **again** with their |
bod- • -ies ||
|| and shall give **account** for their | own • — | works.

41 And they that have done good shall go into **life**
ever- | -last- • -ing ||
|| and they that have done evil into ever- | -last- • -ing |
fire.

42 This is the **Catholick** | Faith • — ||
|| which except a man believe **faithfully** he |
cannot • be | saved.

Glory be to the Father, **and** to the | Son • — ||
|| **and** to the | Ho- • -ly | Ghost;
As it was in the beginning, is now, and **ever** |
shall • be ||
|| world without **end** | A- • — | -men.

At Evening Prayer

MAGNIFICAT.

ST. LUKE I. 46.

Thanksgiving for God's special grace.

MY soul doth **magni-** | -fy • the | Lord ||
|| and my spirit **hath** re- | -joiced • in |
God • my | Saviour.

2 **For** he | hath • re- | -garded ||
|| the **lowli-** | -ness • of | his • hand- | -maiden.

3 **For** **behold** from | hence- • — | -forth ||
|| **all** gener- | -ations • shall | call • me | blessed.

2nd part

- 4 For he that is **mighty** hath | magni- • -fied | me ||
|| **and** | ho- • -ly | is • his | Name.
- 5 And his **mercy** is on | them • that | fear him ||
|| **throughout** | all • — | gen- • -er- | -ations.

His judgments and faithfulness.

- 6 He hath shewed **strength** | with • his | arm ||
|| he hath scattered the proud in the imagin- |
-a- • -tion | of • their | hearts.
- 7 He hath put down the **mighty** | from • their | seat ||
|| and **hath** ex- | -alted • the | humble • and | meek.
- 8 He hath filled the **hungry** with | good • — | things ||
|| and the **rich** he hath | sent • — | empty • a- | -way.
- 9 He remembering his mercy hath holpen his **servant** |
Is- • -ra- | -el ||
|| as he promised to our forefathers, **Abraham** |
and • his | seed • for | ever.

Glory be to the **Father** and | to • the | Son ||
|| **and** | to • the | Ho- • -ly | Ghost;
As it was in the beginning, is **now** and | ev- • -er |
shall be ||
|| **world** without | end • — | A- • — | -men.

CANTATE DOMINO.

PSALM XC VIII.

God's victory for His people.

O SING unto the **Lord** a | new • — | song ||
|| for **he** hath | done • — | marvel- • -lous |
things.

- 2 With his own right hand, and **with** his | ho- • -ly |
arm ||
|| **hath** he | gotten • him- | -self • the | victory.
- 3 The Lord declared | his • sal- | -vation ||
|| his righteousness hath he openly **shewed** in the |
sight • — | of • the | heathen.
- 4 He hath remembered his mercy and truth toward
the **house** of | Is- • -ra- | -el ||
|| and all the ends of the world have **seen** the sal- |
-va- • -tion | of • our | God.

Let men and

- 5 Shew yourselves joyful unto the **Lord** | all • ye | lands ||
|| **sing** re- | -joice • and | give • — | thanks.

6 Praise the **Lord** up- | -on • the | harp ||
 || sing to the **harp** with a | psalm • of | thanks- • — |
 -giving.

7 With **trumpets** | also • and | shawms ||
 || O shew yourselves **joyful** be- | -fore • the | Lord • the |
 King.

nature praise Him for His judgment.

8 Let the sea make a noise, and **all** that | there- • -in |
 is ||
 || the round **world** and | they • that | dwell • there- |
 -in.

9 Let the floods clap their hands, and let the hills
 be joyful together be- | -fore • the | Lord ||
 || **for** he | cometh • to | judge • the | earth.

10 With righteousness **shall** he | judge • the | world ||
 || **and** the | peo- • -ple | with • — | equity.

Glory be to the **Father** and | to • the | Son ||
 || **and** | to • the | Ho- • -ly | Ghost;
 As it was in the beginning, is **now** and | ev- • -er |
 shall be ||
 || **world** without | end • — | A- • — | -men.

NUNC DIMITTIS.

ST. LUKE II. 29.

Perfect rest in the sight of

LORD, now lettest thou thy **servant** de- | -part • in |
 peace ||
 || ac- | -cord- • -ing | to • thy | word.

2 **For** mine | eyes • have | seen ||
 || **thy** | — • sal- | -va- • — | -tion,

God's universal purpose of love.

3 **which** thou | hast • pre- | -pared ||
 || **before** the | face • of | all • — | people;

4 To be a **light** to | lighten • the | Gentiles ||
 || and to be the **glory** of thy | peo- • -ple | Is- • -ra- | -el.

Glory be to the **Father** and | to • the | Son ||

|| **and** | to • the | Ho- • -ly | Ghost;

As it was in the beginning, is **now** and | ev- • -er |
 shall be ||

|| **world** without | end • — | A- • — | -men.

DEUS MISEREATUR.

PSALM LXVII.

Prayer and praise for blessings future and past.

1 **G**OD be merciful unto us • and | bless us ||
 || and shew us the light of his countenance,
 and be | merci- • -ful | un- • -to | us:
 2 That thy **way** may be | known up- • -on | earth ||
 || thy **saving** | health • a- | -mong • all | nations.

3 Let the people **praise** | thee • O | God ||
 || **yea** let | all • the | peo- • -ple | praise thee.
 4 O let the nations **rejoice** | and • be | glad ||
 || for thou shalt judge the folk righteously, and
 govern the | nations • up- | -on • — | earth.

5 Let the people **praise** | thee • O | God ||
 || **yea** let | all • the | peo- • -ple | praise thee.
 6 Then shall the **earth** bring | forth • her | increase ||
 || and God, even our own **God** shall | give • — |
 us • his | blessing.
 7 **God** | shall • — | bless us ||
 || and all the **ends** of the | world • shall | fear • — |
 him.

Glory be to the **Father** and | to • the | **Son** ||
 || **and** | to • the | Ho- • -ly | **Ghost**;
 As it was in the beginning, is **now** and | ev- • -er |
 shall be ||
 || **world** without | end • — | A- • — | -men.

THE PSALMS OF DAVID

Morning Prayer

PSALM 1. *Beatus vir, qui non abiit, &c.*

The blessedness of the righteous

BLESSED is the man that hath not walked in
the counsel of the ungodly, nor **stood** in the |
way • of | sinners ||
|| and hath not **sat** in the | seat • — | of • the |
scornful.

2 But his delight is in the **law** | of • the | **Lord** ||
|| and in his law will he **exercise** him- | -self • — |
day • and | night.

3 And he shall be like a tree **planted** by the |
wa- • -ter- | -side ||
|| that will bring **forth** his | fruit • in | due • — |
season.

4 His **leaf** also | shall • not | wither ||
|| and look, whatsoever he | do- • -eth | it • shall |
prosper.

contrasted with the fate of the ungodly.

5 As for the ungodly, it **is** not | so • with | them ||
|| but they are like the chaff, which the wind
scattereth **away** from the | face • — | of • the |
earth.

6 Therefore the ungodly shall not be able to **stand** |
in • the | **judgement** ||
|| neither the sinners in the **congre-** | -ga- • -tion |
of • the | righteous.

7 But the Lord knoweth the **way** | of • the | righteous ||
|| and the **way** | of • the un- | -godly • shall | perish.

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PSALM 2. *Quare fremuerunt gentes?*

The rebellion of the nations.

WHY do the heathen so furiously | rage • to- |
 -gether ||
 || and why do the people i- | -magine • a | vain • — |
 thing ?

2 The kings of the earth stand up, and the rulers
 take | counsel • to- | -gether ||
 || against the Lord and a- | -gainst • — | his • An- |
 -ointed.

3 Let us break their | bonds • a- | -sunder ||
 || and cast a- | -way • their | cords • — | from us.

The answer of Jehovah.

4 He that dwelleth in heaven shall laugh | them • to |
 scorn ||
 || the Lord shall | have • them | in • de- | -rision.

5 Then shall he speak unto them | in • his | wrath ||
 || and vex them | in • his | sore • dis- | -pleasure.

6 Yet have I | set • my | King ||
 || upon my | ho- • -ly | hill • of | Sion.

The commission of the Divine King.

7 I will preach the law, whereof the Lord hath said |
 un- • -to | me ||
 || Thou art my Son, this day have | I • be- |
 -got- • -ten | thee.

8 Desire of me, and I shall give thee the heathen for |
 thine • in- | -heritance ||
 || and the utmost parts of the | earth • for | thy • pos- |
 -session.

9 Thou shalt bruise them with a | rod • of | iron ||
 || and break them in pieces | like • a | pot- • -ter's |
 vessel.

The counsel of submission.

10 Be wise now therefore | O • ye | kings ||
 || be learned, ye that are | judg- • -es | of • the | earth.

11 Serve the | Lord • in | fear ||
 || and rejoice | un- • -to | him • with | reverence.

12 Kiss the Son lest he be angry, and so ye perish from
 the | right • — | way ||
 || if his wrath be kindled, yea but a little, blessed are
 all they that | put • their | trust • in | him.

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PSALM 3. *Domine, quid multiplicati?*

Many enemies.

LORD, how are they increased that | trou- • -ble |
me ||

|| many are | they • that | rise • a- | -gainst me.

2 Many one there be that **say** | of • my | soul ||

|| There is no **help** | for • him | in • his | God.

One defender.

3 But thou O **Lord** art | my • de- | -fender ||

|| thou art my worship, and the **lifter** | up • of |
my • — | head.

4 I did call upon the **Lord** | with • my | voice ||

|| and he **heard** me | out of • his | ho- • ly | hill.

Sure trust.

5 I laid me down and slept, and **rose** | up • a- | -gain ||

|| **for** the | Lord • sus- | -tain- • -ed | me.

6 I will not be afraid for ten **thousands** | of • the |
people ||

|| that have **set** themselves a- | -gainst • me |
round • a- | -bout.

Righteous judgment.

7 Up Lord, and **help** me | O • my | God ||

|| for thou smitest all mine enemies upon the
cheek-bone, thou hast **broken** the | teeth • of |
the • un- | -godly.

8 Salvation **belongeth** | unto • the | Lord ||

|| and thy **blessing** | is • up- | -on • thy | people.

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PSALM 4. *Cum invocarem.*

HEAR me when I call, O **God** | of • my |
righteousness ||

|| thou hast set me at liberty when I was in trouble,
have mercy upon me and | heark- • -en |
unto • my | prayer.

The success of the ungodly an occasion for warning

2 O ye sons of men, how **long** will ye blas- |
-pheme • mine | honour ||

|| and have such pleasure in **vanity** and | seek • — |
af- • -ter | leasing ?

3 Know this also, that the Lord hath chosen to himself the **man** | that • is | godly ||
 || when I **call** upon the | Lord • — | he • will |
 hear me.

4 **Stand** in | awe • and | sin not ||
 || commune with your own heart, and **in** your |
 cham- • -ber | and • be | still.

5 Offer the **sacrifi-** | -fice • of | righteousness ||
 || and **put** your | trust • — | in • the | Lord.

and trust.

6 **There** be | many • that | say ||
 || **Who** will | shew • us | a- • -ny | good ?

7 **Lord** | lift • thou | up ||
 || the **light** of thy | coun- • -ten- | -ance • up- | -on us.

8 Thou hast put **gladness** | in • my | heart ||
 || since the time that their **corn** and | wine • and |
 oil • in- | -creased.

9 I will lay me down in **peace** and | take • my | rest ||
 || for it is thou Lord **only** that | makest • me |
 dwell • in | safety.

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PSALM 5. *Verba mea auribus.*

PONDER my | words • O | Lord ||
 || **con-** | -sider • my | med- • -it- | -ation.

2 O hearken thou unto the voice of my calling, my
King | and • my | God ||
 || for unto **thee** | will • I | make • my | prayer.

The true worshipper.

3 My voice shalt thou **hear** be- | -times • O | Lord ||
 || early in the morning will I direct my prayer unto
thee | and • will | look • — | up.

4 For thou art the God that **hast** no | pleasure • in |
 wickedness ||
 || neither shall any | e- • -vil | dwell • with | thee.

5 Such as be foolish shall not **stand** | in • thy | sight ||
 || for thou **hatest** all | them • that | work • — | vanity.

6 Thou shalt destroy **them** that | speak • — | leasing ||
 || the Lord will abhor both the **blood-thirsty** |
 and • de- | -ceit- • -ful | man.

7 But as for me I will come into thine house, even upon the **multitude** | of • thy | mercy ||
 || and in thy fear will I **worship** | toward • thy | ho- • ly | temple.

His prayer for righteous judgment.

8 Lead me O Lord in thy righteousness, because | of • mine | enemies ||
 || make thy **way** | plain • be- | -fore • my | face.

9 For there is no **faithfulness** | in • his | mouth ||
 || their **inward** | parts • are | ve- • -ry | wickedness.

10 Their **throat** is an | o- • -pen | sepulchre ||
 || **they** | flat- • -ter | with • their | tongue.

11 Destroy thou them O God, let them perish through
 their **own** i- | -ma- • -gin- | -ations ||
 || cast them out in the multitude of their un-
 godliness, for they **have** re- | -belled • a- |
 -gainst • — | thee.

12 And let all them that put their **trust** in | thee • re- |
 -joice ||
 || they shall ever be giving of thanks because thou
 defendest them, they that love thy **Name** |
 shall • be | joyful • in | thee;

13 For thou Lord wilt give thy **blessing** | unto • the |
 righteous ||
 || and with thy favourable kindness wilt thou de- |
 -fend • him | as • with a | shield.

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Evening Prayer

PSALM 6. *Domine, ne in furore.*

Prayer in affliction.

O LORD rebuke me **not** in thine | in- • -dig- |
 -nation ||
 || neither **chasten** | me • in | thy • dis- | -pleasure.

2 Have mercy upon me O **Lord** for | I • am | weak ||
 || O Lord **heal** me | for • my | bones • are | vexed.

3 My **soul** also is | sore • — | troubled ||
 || but Lord how **long** | wilt • thou | pun- • -ish | me ?

Prayer yet more urgent.

4 Turn thee O **Lord** and de- | -liver • my | soul ||
 || O **save** me | for • thy | mer- • -cy's | sake.

5 For in death **no** man re- | -mem- • -bereth | thee ||
 || and who will **give** thee | thanks • — | in • the |
 pit?

6 I am weary of my groaning, every **night** wash |
 I • my | bed ||
 || and **water** my | couch • — | with • my | tears.

7 My beauty is **gone** for | ve- • -ry | trouble ||
 || and worn **away** be- | -cause • of | all • mine |
 enemies.

Thanksgiving for prayer heard.

8 Away from me, all **ye** that | work • — | vanity ||
 || for the Lord hath **heard** the | voice • — | of • my |
 weeping.

9 The Lord hath **heard** | my • pe- | -tition ||
 || the **Lord** | will • re- | -ceive • my | prayer.

10 All mine enemies shall be **confounded** and
 sore • — | vexed ||
 || they shall be turned **back** and | put • to |
 shame • — | suddenly.

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PSALM 7. *Domine, Deus meus.*

The appeal of the innocent to God.

O LORD my God, in **thee** have I | put • my |
 trust ||
 || save me from all them that **persecute** me |
 and • de- | -liv- • -er | me;

2 Lest he devour my soul like a **lion** and | tear it • in |
 pieces ||
 || **while** | there • is | none • to | help.

3 O Lord my God, if I have **done** | any • such | thing ||
 || or if there **be** any | wicked- • -ness | in • my | hands;

4 If I have rewarded evil unto him that **dealt** |
 friend- • ly | with me ||
 || yea I have delivered him that **without** any |
 cause • — | is • mine | enemy;

5 Then let mine enemy **persecute** my | soul • and |
 take me ||
 || yea let him tread my life down upon the earth,
 and **lay** mine | hon- • -our | in • the | dust.

Prayer for judgment.

6 Stand up O Lord in thy wrath, and lift up thyself,
 because of the indignation | of • mine | enemies ||
 || arise up for me in the judgement | that • thou
 hast • com- | -manded.

7 And so shall the congregation of the people |
 come • a- | -bout thee ||
 || for their sakes therefore lift | up • thy- | -self • a- |
 -gain.

8 The Lord shall judge the people, give sentence
 with | me • O | Lord ||
 || according to my righteousness, and according to
 the innocence | that • is | in • — | me.

9 O let the wickedness of the ungodly | come • to an |
 end ||
 || but | guide • — | thou • the | just.

10 For the | right- • -eous | God ||
 || trieth the | ve- • -ry | hearts • and | reins.

God requites certainly if slowly.

11 My help | cometh • of | God ||
 || who preserveth them | that • are | true • of | heart.

12 God is a righteous Judge | strong • and | patient ||
 || and God is pro- | vo- • -ked | ev- • -ery | day.

13 If a man will not turn he will | whet • his | sword ||
 || he hath bent his | bow • and | made • it | ready.

14 He hath prepared for him the instru- | -ments • of |
 death ||
 || he ordaineth his | arrows • a- | -gainst • the |
 persecutors.

Evil recoils upon the doer.

15 Behold he travail- | -eth • with | mischief ||
 || he hath conceived sorrow and | brought • — |
 forth • un- | -godliness.

16 He hath graven and digged | up • a | pit ||
 || and is fallen himself into the destruction |
 that • he | made • for | other.

17 For his travail shall come upon his | own • — | head ||
 || and his wickedness shall fall | on • his | own • — |
 pate.

18 I will give thanks unto the Lord, according |
 to • his | righteousness ||
 || and I will praise the Name | of • the | Lord • most |
 High.

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PSALM 8. *Domine, Dominus noster.*

The glory of God through the weak.

O LORD our Governor, how excellent is thy **Name**
in | all • the | world ||
|| thou that hast **set** thy | glory • a- | -bove • the |
heavens !

2 Out of the mouth of very babes and sucklings hast
thou ordained strength, **because** | of • thine |
enemies ||
|| that thou mightest **still** the | en- • -emy |
and • the a- | -venger.

Man made king

3 For I will consider thy heavens, even the **works** |
of • thy | fingers ||
|| the moon and the **stars** | which • thou | hast • or- |
-dained.
4 What is man, that **thou** art | mindful • of | him ||
|| and the son of **man** | that • thou | visit- • -est | him ?
5 Thou madest him **lower** | than • the | angels ||
|| to **crown** | him • with | glory • and | worship.

over the world.

6 Thou makest him to have dominion of the **works** |
of • thy | hands ||
|| and thou hast put **all** things in sub- | -jec- • -tion |
under • his | feet ;
7 **All** | sheep • and | oxen ||
|| **yea** and the | beasts • — | of • the | field ;
8 The fowls of the air, and the **fishes** | of • the | sea ||
|| and whatsoever **walketh** through the | paths • — |
of • the | seas.

The glory of God.

9 **O** | Lord • our | Governor ||
|| how excellent **is** thy | Name • in | all • the | world !
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Morning Prayer

PSALM 9. *Confitebor tibi.*

Thanksgiving to God

I WILL give thanks unto thee **O Lord** with my |
whole • — | heart ||
|| I will **speak** of | all • thy | marvel- • -lous | works.

2 I will be **glad** and re- | -joice • in | thee ||
 || yea my songs will I **make** of thy | Name • O |
 thou • most | Highest.

the righteous Judge;

3 While mine **enemies** are | driv- • -en | back ||
 || they shall **fall** and | per- • -ish | at • thy | presence.

4 For thou hast maintained my **right** | and • my |
 cause ||
 || thou art **set** in the | throne • that | judg- • -est | right.

5 Thou hast rebuked the heathen, and **destroyed** |
 the • un- | -godly ||
 || thou hast put **out** their | name • for | ever • and |
 ever.

6 O thou enemy, **destructions** are **come** to a per- |
 -pet- • -ual | end ||
 || even as the cities which thou hast destroyed, **their**
 me- | -morial • is | perish- • -ed | with them.

7 But the **Lord** shall en- | -dure • for | ever ||
 || he hath also pre- | -pared • his | seat • for |
 judgement.

8 For he shall **judge** the | world • in | righteousness ||
 || and minister **true** | judge- • -ment | unto • the |
 people.

9 The Lord also will be a **defence** | for • the op- |
 -pressed ||
 || even a **refuge** in | due • — | time • of | trouble.

10 And they that know thy Name will **put** their |
 trust • in | thee ||
 || for thou Lord, hast **never** | fail- • -ed | them • that |
 seek thee.

Whose praise shall be heard in Sion

11 O praise the **Lord** which | dwelleth • in | Sion ||
 || **shew** the | peo- • -ple | of • his | doings.

12 For when he maketh inquisition for **blood** he re- |
 -mem- • -bereth | them ||
 || and forgetteth **not** the com- | -plaint • — |
 of • the | poor.

13 Have mercy upon me O Lord, consider the trouble
 which I **suffer** of | them • that | hate me ||
 || thou that liftest me **up** | from • the | gates • of |
 death.

14 That I may shew all thy praises within the **ports** of the | daughter • of | Sion ||
 || **I** will re- | -joice • in | thy • sal- | -vation.
 when the heathen are cast down.

15 The heathen are sunk down in the **pit** | that • they | made ||
 || in the same net which they hid **privily** | is • their | foot • — | taken.

16 The Lord is **known** to | exe- • -cute | judgement ||
 || the ungodly is trapped in the **work** | of • his | own • — | hands.

17 The wicked shall be **turned** | in- • -to | hell ||
 || and all the **people** | that • for- | -get • — | God.

18 For the poor shall not **alway** | be • for- | -gotten ||
 || the patient abiding of the **meek** | shall • not | perish • for | ever.

19 Up Lord, and let not **man** have the | up- • -per | hand ||
 || let the **heathen** be | judg- • -ed | in • thy | sight.

20 **Put** them in | fear • O | Lord ||
 || that the heathen may **know** them- | -selves • to | be • but | men.

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PSALM 10. *Ut quid, Domine?*

WHY standest thou so **far** | off • O | Lord ||
 || and hidest thy **face** in the | need- • -ful | time • of | trouble ?

2 The ungodly for his own lust doth **perse-** | -cute • the | poor ||
 || let them be taken in the crafty wiliness | that • they | have • i- | -magine.

The oppression of the poor.

3 For the ungodly hath made boast of his **own** | heart's • de- | -sire ||
 || and speaketh good of the **covetous** | whom • — | God • ab- | -horreth.

4 The ungodly is so proud that he **careth** | not • for | God ||
 || **neither** is | God • in | all • his | thoughts.

5 His **ways** are | al- • -way | grievous ||
 || thy judgements are far above out of his sight, and
 therefore de- | -fieth • he | all • his | enemies.

6 For he hath said in his heart, **Tush**, I shall never
 be | cast • — | down ||
 || there shall **no** harm | hap- • -pen | un- • -to | me.

7 His mouth is full of **cursing** de- | -ceit • and | fraud ||
 || under his **tongue** is un- | -god- • -li- | -ness • and |
 vanity.

8 He sitteth lurking in the thievish **corners** | of • the |
 streets ||
 || and privily in his lurking dens doth he murder the
 innocent, his **eyes** are | set • a- | -against • the |
 poor.

9 For he lieth waiting secretly, even as a lion **lurketh**
 he | in • his | den ||
 || **that** | he • may | ravish • the | poor.

10 **He** doth | ravish • the | poor ||
 || **when** he | getteth • him | into • his | net.

11 He falleth **down** and | humbleth • him- | -self ||
 || that the congregation of the poor may **fall** into
 the | hands • — | of • his | captains.

12 He hath said in his heart, **Tush** | God • hath for- |
 -gotten ||
 || he hideth away his **face** and | he • will | nev- • -er |
 see it.

An appeal to God for help

13 Arise O Lord God, and **lift** | up • thine | hand ||
 || **for** | -get • — | not • the | poor.

14 Wherefore should the **wicked** blas- | -pheme • — | God ||
 || while he doth say in his heart, **Tush** | thou • God |
 carest • not | for it.

15 **Surely** | thou • hast | seen it ||
 || for thou beholdest un- | -god- • -li- | -ness • and |
 wrong.

16 That thou mayest **take** the matter | into • thine |
 hand ||
 || the poor committeth himself unto thee, for **thou**
 art the | help- • -er | of • the | friendless.

17 Break thou the power of the **ungodly** | and • ma- |
 -licious ||
 || take away his **ungodliness** and | thou • shalt |
 find • — | none.

which is heard.

18 The Lord is **King** for | ever • and | ever ||
 || and the **heathen** are | perish- • -ed | out • of the |
 land.

19 Lord, thou hast heard the **desire** | of • the | poor ||
 || thou preparest their heart, and thine **ear** |
 heark- • -en- | -eth • there- | -to ;

20 To help the fatherless and **poor** | unto • their |
 right ||
 || that the man of the **earth** be no | more • ex- |
 -alted • a- | -against them.

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PSALM 11. *In Domino confido.*

The counsel of fear.

1 N the **Lord** put | I • my | trust ||
 || how say ye then to my soul that she should
flee as a | bird • — | unto • the | hill ?

2 For lo the ungodly bend their bow, and make ready
 their **arrows** with- | -in • the | quiver ||
 || that they may privily shoot at **them** | which • are |
 true • of | heart.

3 For the foundations will be | cast • — | down ||
 || and **what** | hath • the | right- • -eous | done ?

The answer of faith.

4 The Lord is **in** his | ho- • -ly | temple ||
 || the **Lord's** | seat • — | is • in | heaven.

5 His **eyes** con- | -sider • the | poor ||
 || and his **eye-lids** | try • the | children • of | men.

6 The **Lord** al- | -loweth • the | righteous ||
 || but the ungodly, and him that delighteth in **wick-**
edness | doth • his | soul • ab- | -hor.

7 Upon the ungodly he shall rain snares, fire and
brimstone | storm • and | tempest ||
 || **this** shall | be • their | portion • to | drink.

8 For the righteous **Lord** | lov- • -eth | righteousness ||
 || his countenance will be- | -hold • the |
 thing • that is | just.

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Evening Prayer

PSALM 12. *Salvum me fac.*

The power and pride of the ungodly.

HELP me Lord, for there is not **one** |
godly • man | left ||
|| for the faithful are diminished **from** a- | -mong • the |
children • of | men.

2 They talk of vanity **every** one | with • his |
neighbour ||
|| they do but flatter with their lips, and **dissemble** |
in • their | dou- • -ble | heart.

3 The Lord shall root out **all** de- | -ceit- • -ful | lips ||
|| and the **tongue** that | speak- • -eth | proud • — |
things ;

4 Which have said, With our **tongue** will | we • pre- |
-vail ||
|| we are they that ought to speak, **who** is | lord • — |
o- • -ver | us ?

The promise

5 Now for the comfortless **troubles**' sake | of • the |
needy ||
|| and because of the **deep** | sigh- • -ing | of • the |
poor,

6 I will **up** | saith • the | Lord ||
|| and will help every one from him that swelleth
against him | and • will | set him • at | rest.

which cannot fail.

7 The words of the **Lord** are | pure • — | words ||
|| even as the silver which from the earth is tried
and **purified** | seven • times | in • the | fire.

8 Thou shalt **keep** | them • O | Lord ||
|| thou shalt **preserve** him from | this • gener- |
-ation • for | ever.

9 The ungodly **walk** on | ev- • -ery | side ||
|| when they are exalted, the **children** of | men • are |
put • to re- | -buke.

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PSALM 13. *Usque quo, Domine?*

Complaint.

HOW long wilt thou **forget** me O | Lord • for |
ever ||
|| how **long** wilt thou | hide • thy | face • from | me ?
2 How long shall I seek counsel in my soul, and be so
vexed | in • my | heart ||
|| how long shall mine **enemies** | tri- • -umph |
o- • -ver | me ?

Prayer.

3 Consider and **hear** me O | Lord • my | God ||
|| lighten mine **eyes** that I | sleep • — | not • in |
death.
4 Lest mine enemy say, **I** have pre- | -vailed • a- |
-against him ||
|| for if I be cast down, they that **trouble** me |
will • re- | -joice • — | at it.

Trust.

5 But my **trust** is | in • thy | mercy ||
|| and my **heart** is | joyful • in | thy • sal- | -vation.
6 I will sing of the Lord, because he hath **dealt** so |
loving- • ly | with me ||
|| yea I will praise the **NAME** | of • the | Lord • most |
Highest.

GLORIA.

PSALM 14. *Dixit insipiens.*

The spirit of folly.

THE fool hath **said** | in • his | heart ||
|| **There** | is • — | no • — | God.
2 They are corrupt and become **abominable** | in • their |
doings ||
|| there is **none** that doeth | good • — | no • not | one.

God's sentence.

3 The Lord looked down from heaven **upon** the |
children • of | men ||
|| to see if there were any that would **understand**
and | seek • — | af- • -ter | God.

4 But they are all gone out of the way, they are altogether be- | -come • ab- | -ominable ||
 || there is **none** that doeth | good • — | no • not | one.

5 Their throat is an open sepulchre, with their **tongues** have | they • de- | -ceived ||
 || the **poison** of | asps • is | under • their | lips.

6 Their mouth is **full** of | cursing • and | bitterness ||
 || their **feet** are | swift • to | shed • — | blood.

2nd part 7 Destruction and unhappiness is in their ways, and the way of **peace** have | they • not | known ||
 || there is no **fear** of | God • be- | -fore • their | eyes.

8 Have they no knowledge, that they are **all** such | workers • of | mischief ||
 || eating up my people as it were bread, and **call** | not • up- | -on • the | Lord ?

Its issue.

9 There were they brought in great fear, even where | no • fear | was ||
 || for God is in the **gener-** | -a- • -tion | of • the | righteous.

10 As for you, ye have made a mock at the **counsel** | of • the | poor ||
 || because he **putteth** his | trust • — | in • the | Lord.

11 Who shall give salvation unto Israel out of Sion, When the Lord turneth the captivity | of • his | people ||
 || then shall Jacob **rejoice** and | Isra- • -el | shall • be | glad.

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Morning Prayer.

PSALM 15. *Domine, quis habitabit?*

The portraiture of the righteous

LORD, who shall **dwell** | in • thy | tabernacle ||
 || or who shall **rest** up- | -on • thy | ho- • -ly |
 hill ?

2 Even he that **leadeth** an | uncor- • -rupt | life ||
 || and doeth the thing which is right, and **speaketh** the | truth • — | from • his | heart.

in detail.

3 He that hath used no deceit in his tongue, nor done
 evil | to • his | neighbour ||
 || and | hath • not | slandered • his | neighbour.

4 He that setteth not by himself, but is **lowly** in his |
 own • — | eyes ||
 || and maketh **much** of | them • that | fear • the |
 Lord.

5 He that sweareth unto his neighbour, and **disap-** |
 -pointeth • him | not ||
 || **though** it | were • to his | own • — | hindrance.

6 He that hath not given his **money** up- | -on • — |
 usury ||
 || nor taken re- | -ward • a- | -gainst • the | innocent.

7 **Whoso** | doeth • these | things ||
 || **shall** | — • — | nev- • -er | fall. GLORIA.

PSALM 16. *Conserua me, Domine.*

God is man's highest good.

PRESERVE | me • O | God ||
 || for in **thee** | have • I | put • my | trust.

2 O my soul, thou hast **said** | unto • the | Lord ||
 || Thou art my God, my **goods** are | no- • -thing |
 un- • -to | thee.

3 All my delight is upon the **saints** that are | in • the |
 earth ||
 || and upon **such** | as • ex- | -cel • in | virtue.

4 But they that run after an- | -oth- • -er | god ||
 || **shall** | have • — | great • — | trouble.

5 Their drink-offerings of **blood** will | I • not | offer ||
 || neither make **mention** of their | names • with- |
 -in • my | lips.

6 The Lord himself is the portion of mine **inheritance**
 and | of • my | cup ||
 || **thou** | shalt • main- | -tain • my | lot.

7 The lot is fallen unto **me** in a | fair • — | ground ||
 || **yea** I | have • a | good- • -ly | heritage.

Thankfulness and trust of the believer.

8 I will thank the **Lord** for | giving • me | warning ||
 || my reins also **chasten** me | in • the | night- • — |
 -season.

9 I have set **God** | always • be- | -fore me ||
 || for he is on my right **hand** | therefore • I |
 shall • not | fall.

10 Wherefore my heart was **glad** and my | glory • re- |
 -joiced ||
 || my **flesh** | also • shall | rest • in | hope.

11 For why, thou shalt not **leave** my | soul • in | hell ||
 || neither shalt thou suffer thy **Holy** | One • to |
 see • cor- | -ruption.

12 Thou shalt shew me the path of life, in thy
presence is the | fulness • of | joy ||
 || and at thy right **hand** there is | pleasure • for |
 ev- • -er- | -more. GLORIA.

PSALM 17. *Exaudi, Domine.*

An appeal to God's righteousness.

HEAR the right O Lord, consider | my • com- |
 -plaint ||
 || and hearken unto my prayer, that **goeth** not |
 out • of | feign- • -ed | lips.

2 Let my sentence come **forth** | from • thy | presence ||
 || and let thine eyes look **upon** the | thing • — |
 that • is | equal.

3 Thou hast proved and visited mine heart in the
 night-season, thou hast tried me, and shalt
find no | wicked- • -ness | in me ||
 || for I am utterly **purposed** that my | mouth • shall |
 not • of- | -fend.

4 Because of men's works that are done against the
words | of • thy | lips ||
 || I have kept me **from** the | ways • of | the • de- |
 -stroyer.

5 O hold thou up my **goings** | in • thy | paths ||
 || **that** my | foot- • -steps | slip • — | not.

Prayer for protection.

6 I have called upon thee O **God** for | thou • shalt |
 hear me ||
 || incline thine **ear** to me and | heark- • -en |
 unto • my | words.

7 Shew thy marvellous loving-kindness, thou that
 art the Saviour of them which **put** their |
 trust • in | thee ||
 || from **such** as re- | -sist • — | thy • right | hand.

8 Keep me as the apple | of • an | eye ||
 || hide me under the | sha- • -dow | of • thy | wings,
 9 From the **ungodly** that | trou- • -ble | me ||
 || mine enemies compass me round **about** to |
 take • a- | -way • my | soul.
 10 They are **inclosed** in their | own • — | fat ||
 || and their **mouth** | speak- • -eth | proud • — |
 things.
 11 They lie waiting in our **way** on | ev- • -ery | side ||
 || turning their **eyes** | down • — | to • the | ground;
 12 Like as a lion that is **greedy** | of • his | prey ||
 || and as it were a lion's **whelp** | lurking • in |
 se- • -cret | places.

Final retribution.

13 Up Lord, **disappoint** him and | cast • him | down ||
 || deliver my soul from the **ungodly** which | is • a |
 sword • of | thine;
 14 From the men of thy hand O Lord, from the men I
 say, and **from** the | e- • -vil | world ||
 || which have their portion in this life, whose bellies
 thou **filllest** | with • thy | hid • — | treasure.
 15 They have **children** at | their • de- | -sire ||
 || and leave the **rest** of their | sub- • -stance |
 for • their | babes.
 16 But as for me, I will **behold** thy | presence • in |
 righteousness ||
 || and when I awake up after thy **likeness** I |
 shall • be | satis- • -fied | with it.

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Evening Prayer

PSALM 18. *Diligam te, Domine.*

The lesson of the life of faith.

I WILL love thee O Lord my strength, the Lord
 is my stony **rock** and | my • de- | -fence ||
 || my Saviour my God and my might, in whom I will
 trust, my buckler, the horn also of **my** sal- |
 -va- • -tion | and • my | refuge.
 2 I will call upon the Lord, which is **worthy** | to • be |
 praised ||
 || **so** shall I be | safe • — | from • mine | enemies.

The believer's experience.

3 The sorrows of **death** | compass- • -ed | me ||
 || and the overflowings of **ungodliness** | made • — |
 me • a- | -afraid.

4 The pains of **hell** | came • a- | -bout me ||
 || the **snares** of | death • — | o- • -ver- | -took me.

5 In my trouble I will **call** up- | -on • the | Lord ||
 || and com- | -plain • — | unto • my | God.

6 So shall he hear my voice **out** of his | ho- • -ly | temple ||
 || and my complaint shall come before him, it shall
 enter | e- • -ven | into • his | ears.

The revelation of God in His majesty.

7 The **earth** | trembled • and | quaked ||
 || the very foundations also of the hills shook, and
 were **removed** be- | -cause • — | he • was | wroth.

8 There went a smoke **out** | in • his | presence ||
 || and a consuming fire out of his **mouth** so that |
 coals • were | kin- • -dled | at it.

9 He bowed the heavens **also** and | came • — | down ||
 || **and** it was | dark • — | under • his | feet.

10 He rode upon the **cherubims** | and • did | fly ||
 || he came **flying** upon the | wings • — | of • the |
 wind.

11 He made **darkness** his | se- • -cret | place ||
 || his pavilion round about him with dark water,
 and **thick** | clouds • to | cov- • -er | him.

12 At the brightness of his **presence** his | clouds • re- |
 -moved ||
 || **hail**- | -stones • and | coals • of | fire.

13 The Lord also thundered out of heaven, and the
Highest | gave • his | thunder ||
 || **hail**- | -stones • and | coals • of | fire.

14 He sent out his **arrows** and | scatter- • -ed | them ||
 || he cast forth **lightnings** | and • de- | -stroy- • -ed |
 them.

2nd part 15 The springs of waters were seen, and the foundations
 of the round world were discovered at thy |
 chiding • O | Lord ||
 || at the **blasting** of the | breath • of | thy • dis- |
 -pleasure.

Divine help.

16 He shall send **down** from on | high • to | fetch me ||
 || and shall **take** me | out • of | ma- • -ny | waters.

17 He shall deliver me from my strongest enemy, and
 from them • which I hate me ||
 || **for** they | are • too | might- • -y | for me.
 18 They prevented me in the **day** | of • my | trouble ||
 || **but** the | Lord • was | my • up- | -holder.
 19 He brought me forth also **into** a | place • of | liberty ||
 || he brought me forth, even because he **had** a |
 fa- • -vour | un- • -to | me.

Man's preparation.

20 The Lord shall reward me **after** my | right- • -eous |
 dealing ||
 || according to the cleanness of my **hands** | shall • he |
 recom- • -pense | me.
 21 Because I have kept the **ways** | of • the | Lord ||
 || and have not forsaken my **God** | as • the |
 wick- • -ed | doth.
 22 For I have an **eye** unto | all • his | laws ||
 || and will not **cast** out | his • com- | -mand- • -ments |
 from me.
 23 I was also **uncor-** | -rupt • be- | -fore him ||
 || **and** es- | -chewed • mine | own • — | wickedness.
 24 Therefore shall the Lord reward me **after** my |
 right- • -eous | dealing ||
 || and according unto the **cleanness** of my |
 hands • — | in • his | eye-sight.

The law of God's action.

25 With the **holy** thou | shalt • be | holy ||
 || and with a **perfect** | man • thou | shalt • be |
 perfect.
 26 With the **clean** thou | shalt • be | clean ||
 || and **with** the | foward • thou | shalt • learn |
 fowardness.
 27 For thou shalt save the **people** that are | in • ad- |
 -versity ||
 || and shalt bring **down** the | high • looks | of • the |
 proud.
 28 Thou **also** shalt | light • my | candle ||
 || the Lord my God shall **make** my | dark- • -ness |
 to • be | light.
 29 For in thee I shall **discomfit** an | host • of | men ||
 || and with the help of my **God** I shall | leap • — |
 over • the | wall.

30 The way of God is an **unde-** | -fil- • -ed | way ||
 || the word of the Lord also is tried in the fire, he
 is the defender of all **them** that | put • their |
 trust • in | him.

Strength and victory through God.

31 For who is **God** | but • the | Lord ||
 || or **who** hath any | strength • ex- | -cept • our | God ?

32 It is God that **girdeth** me with | strength • of | war ||
 || **and** | maketh • my | way • — | perfect.

33 He **maketh** my | feet • like | harts' feet ||
 || **and** | setteth • me | up • on | high.

34 He **teacheth** mine | hands • to | fight ||
 || and mine arms shall **break** | even • a | bow • of |
 steel.

35 Thou hast given me the **defence** of | thy • sal- |
 -vation ||
 || thy right hand also shall hold me up, and thy
loving cor- | -rection • shall | make • me | great.

36 Thou shalt make room enough **under** me | for • to |
 go ||
 || **that** my | foot- • -steps | shall • not | slide.

37 I will follow upon mine **enemies** and | o- • -ver- |
 -take them ||
 || neither will I turn **again** till I | have • de- |
 -stroy- • -ed | them.

38 I will smite them, that they shall **not** be | able • to |
 stand ||
 || **but** | fall • — | under • my | feet.

39 Thou hast girded me with **strength** | unto • the |
 battle ||
 || thou shalt throw **down** mine | en- • -emies |
 un- • -der | me.

40 Thou hast made mine enemies also to **turn** their |
 backs • up- | -on me ||
 || and **I** shall de- | -stroy • — | them • that | hate me.

41 They shall cry, but **there** shall be | none • to | help
 them ||
 || yea even unto the Lord shall they **cry** | but • he |
 shall • not | hear them.

42 I will beat them as small as the **dust** be- | -fore • the |
 wind ||
 || I will cast them **out** as the | clay • — | in • the |
 streets.

43 Thou shalt deliver me from the **strivings** | of • the | people ||
 || and thou shalt **make** me the | head • — | of • the | heathen.

44 A **people** whom I | have • not | known ||
 || **shall** | — • — | serve • — | me.

45 As soon as they **hear** of me they | shall • o- | -bey me ||
 || but the **strange** children | shall • dis- | -sem- • -ble | with me.

46 The **strange** | children • shall | fail ||
 || **and** be a- | -fraid • — | out of • their | prisons.

Thanksgiving in the retrospect and prospect of life.

47 The Lord liveth, and **blessed** be my | strong • — | helper ||
 || and **praised** be the | God • of | my • sal- | -vation.

48 Even the God that **seeth** that I | be • a- | -venged ||
 || and **subdue**th the | peo- • -ple | un- • -to | me.

49 It is he that delivereth me from my cruel enemies,
 and setteth me **up** a- | -bove • mine | adver-
 sarie ||
 || thou shalt **rid** me | from • the | wick- • -ed | man.

50 For this cause will I give thanks unto thee O
Lord a- | -mong • the | Gentiles ||
 || **and** sing | prai- • -ses | unto • thy | Name.

51 Great prosperity **giveth** he | unto • his | King ||
 || and sheweth loving-kindness unto David his
 Anointed, and **unto** his | seed • for | ev- • -er- | -more.

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Morning Prayer

PSALM 19. *Cæli enarrant.*

The glory of God in the heavens (Nature).

THE heavens **declare** the | glory • of | God ||
 || and the **firmament** | sheweth • his | hand- • -y- | -work.

2 **One** day | telleth • an- | -other ||
 || and **one** night | cer- • -ti- | -fieth • an- | -other.

3 There is **neither** | speech • nor | language ||
 || **but** their | voices • are | heard • a- | -mong them.

4 Their sound is gone **out** into | all • — | lands ||
 || and their **words** into the | ends • — | of • the | world.
 5 In them hath he set a **tabernacle** | for • the | sun ||
 || which cometh forth as a bridegroom out of his
 chamber, and **rejoiceth** as a | giant • to |
 run • his | course.
 6 It goeth forth from the uttermost part of the
 heaven, and runneth about unto the **end of** |
 it • a- | -gain ||
 || and there is nothing **hid** | from • the | heat • there- |
 -of.

The glory of God in the Law (Revelation).

7 The law of the Lord is **an** undefiled **law** con- |
 -verting • the | soul ||
 || the testimony of the Lord is **sure** and giveth |
 wis- • -dom | unto • the | simple.
 8 The statutes of the Lord are **right** and re- |
 -joice • the | heart ||
 || the commandment of the Lord is **pure** and giveth |
 light • — | unto • the | eyes.
 9 The fear of the Lord is **clean** and en- | -dureth • for |
 ever ||
 || the judgements of the Lord are **true** and |
 right- • -eous | al- • -to- | -gether.
 10 More to be desired are they than gold, **yea** than |
 much • fine | gold ||
 || sweeter also than **honey** | and • the | hon- • -ey- |
 -comb.

Prayer for guidance.

11 Moreover by **them** is thy | ser- • -vant | taught ||
 || and in **keeping** of them | there • is | great • re- |
 -ward.
 12 Who can **tell** how | oft • he of- | -fendeth ||
 || O cleanse thou **me** | from • my | se- • -cret | faults.
 13 Keep thy servant also from presumptuous sins, lest
 they get the **dominion** | o- • -ver | me ||
 || so shall I be undefiled, and **innocent** | from • the |
 great • of- | -fence.
 14 Let the words of my mouth, and the meditation |
 of • my | heart ||
 || be **alway** ac- | -cepta- • -ble | in • thy | sight,
 15 **O** | — • — | Lord ||
 || **my** | strength • and | my • re- | -deemer. **GLORIA.**

PSALM 20. *Exaudiat te Dominus.*

The people's prayer.

THE Lord **near** thee in the | day • of | trouble ||
 || the **Name** of the | God • of | Jacob • de- |
 -fend thee.

2 Send thee **help** | from • the | sanctuary ||
 || and | strengthen • thee | out • of | Sion;
 3 Remember | all • thy | offerings ||
 || and ac- | -cept • thy | burnt • — | sacrifice;
 4 **Grant** thee thy | heart's • de- | -sire ||
 || and ful- | -fil • — | all • thy | mind.
 5 We will rejoice in thy salvation, and triumph in the
Name of the | Lord • our | God ||
 || the **Lord** per- | -form • all | thy • pe- | -titions.

The ruler's trust.

6 Now know I that the Lord helpeth his Anointed, and
 will **hear** him from his | ho- • -ly | heaven ||
 || even with the **wholesome** | strength • of |
 his • right | hand.
 7 Some put their trust in **chariots** and | some • in |
 horses ||
 || but we will remember the **Name** | of • the |
 Lord • our | God.
 8 **They** are brought | down • and | fallen ||
 || but we are | risen • and | stand • — | upright.
 9 Save Lord and **hear** us O | King • of | heaven ||
 || when we | call • up- | -on • — | thee.

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PSALM 21. *Domine, in virtute tua.*

The prosperity of the King.

THE King shall rejoice in thy | strength • O |
 Lord ||
 || exceeding **glad** shall he | be • of | thy • sal- |
 -vation.
 2 Thou hast **given** him his | heart's • de- | -sire ||
 || and hast not **denied** him the re- | -quest • — |
 of • his | lips.
 3 For thou shalt **prevent** him with the | blessings • of |
 goodness ||
 || and shalt set a **crown** of pure | gold • up- |
 -on • his | head.

4 He asked life of thee, and thou **gavest** him a |
long • — | life ||
|| even for | ev- • -er | and • — | ever.

5 His honour is **great** in | thy • sal- | -vation ||
|| glory and great **worship** | shalt • thou | lay • up- |
-on him.

6 For thou shalt give him **ever-** | -lasting • fe- | -licity ||
|| and make him **glad** with the | joy • — | of • thy |
countenance.

2nd part 7 And why? because the King putteth his **trust** |
in • the | Lord ||
|| and in the mercy of the most **Highest** | he • shall |
not • mis- | -carry.

His future success.

8 All thine **enemies** shall | feel • thy | hand ||
|| thy right **hand** shall | find • out | them • that |
hate thee.

9 Thou shalt make them like a fiery oven in **time** |
of • thy | wrath ||
|| the Lord shall destroy them in his displeasure,
and the | fire • — | shall • con- | -sume them.

10 Their fruit shalt thou root **out** | of • the | earth ||
|| and their **seed** from a- | -mong • the | children • of |
men.

11 For they intended **mischief** a- | -against • — | thee ||
|| and imagined such a device as they **are** not |
a- • -ble | to • per- | -form.

12 Therefore shalt thou **put** | them • to | flight ||
|| and the strings of thy bow shalt thou make **ready**
a- | -against • the | face • of | them.

13 Be thou exalted **Lord** in thine | own • — | strength ||
|| **so** will we | sing • and | praise • thy | power.

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Evening Prayer

PSALM 22. *Deus, Deus meus.*

The cry of the forsaken.

MY God my God look upon me, **why** hast thou
for- | -sa- • -ken | me ||
|| and art so far from my health, and **from** the |
words • of | my • com- | -plaint?

2 O my God I cry in the day-time, but thou |
hear- • -est | not ||
|| and in the **night**-season | also • I | take • no | rest.
3 And **thou** con- | -tinu- • -est | holy ||
|| o thou | worship • of | Is- • -ra- | -el.
4 Our **fathers** | hoped • in | thee ||
|| they trusted in thee, and **thou** | didst • de- |
-liv- • -er | them.
5 They **called** upon thee | and • were | holpen ||
|| they put their **trust** in thee | and • were |
not • con- | -founded.
6 But as for me, I am a **worm** and | no • — | man ||
|| a very scorn of **men** and the | out- • -cast |
of • the | people.
7 All they that see me **laugh** | me • to | scorn ||
|| they shoot out their **lips** and | shake • their |
heads • — | saying,
8 He trusted in God, that **he** would de- | -liv- • -er |
him ||
|| let him deliver him | if • — | he • will | have him.

Affliction issuing in prayer.

9 But thou art he that took me **out** of my |
mo- • -ther's | womb ||
|| thou wast my hope, when I hanged **yet** up- |
-on • my | mo- • -ther's | breasts.
10 I have been left unto thee ever **since** | I • was | born ||
|| thou art my **God** even | from • my | mo- • -ther's |
womb.
11 O go not from me, for **trouble** is | hard • at | hand ||
|| **and** | there • is | none • to | help me.
12 Many **oxen** are | come • a- | -bout me ||
|| fat bulls of Basan **close** me | in • on | ev- • -ery |
side.
13 They **gape** upon me | with • their | mouths ||
|| as it were a **ramping** | and • a | roar- • -ing | lion.
14 I am poured out like water, and all my **bones** are |
out • of | joint ||
|| my heart also in the midst of my **body** is |
even • like | melt- • -ing | wax.
15 My strength is dried up like a potsherd, and my
tongue **cleaveth** | to • my | gums ||
|| and thou shalt **bring** me | into • the | dust • of |
death.

16 For many **dogs** are | come • a- | -bout me ||
 || and the council of the **wicked** | lay- • -eth |
 siege • a- | -against me.

17 They pierced my hands and my feet, I may **tell** |
 all • my | bones ||
 || they **stand** | staring • and | looking • up- | -on me.

18 They **part** my | garments • a- | -mong them ||
 || and **cast** | lots • up- | -on • my | vesture.

19 But be not thou **far** from | me • O | Lord ||
 || thou art my **succour** | haste • — | thee • to |
 help me.

20 Deliver my **soul** | from • the | sword ||
 || my **darling** from the | pow- • -er | of • the | dog.

2nd part 21 **Save** me from the | li- • -on's | mouth ||
 || thou hast heard me also from **among** the |
 horns • — | of • the | unicorns.

Praise of God for His mercy.

22 I will declare thy **Name** | unto • my | brethren ||
 || in the midst of the **congre-** | -ga- • -tion | will • I |
 praise thee.

23 O praise the **Lord** | ye • that | fear him ||
 || magnify him all ye of the seed of Jacob, and fear
 him **all** ye | seed • of | Is- • -ra- | -el;

24 For he hath not despised nor abhorred the low
 estate | of • the | poor ||
 || he hath not hid his face from him, but when
 he **called** | un- • -to | him • he | heard him.

25 My praise is of thee in the **great** | con- • -gre- |
 -gation ||
 || my vows will I **perform** in the | sight • of |
 them • that | fear him.

26 The poor shall **eat** | and • be | satisfied ||
 || they that seek after the Lord shall **praise** him
 your | heart • shall | live • for | ever.

Acknowledgment of His sovereignty.

27 All the ends of the world shall remember them-
 selves, and be **turned** | unto • the | Lord ||
 || and all the **kindreds** of the | nations • shall |
 worship • be- | -fore him.

28 For the **kingdom** | is • the | Lord's ||
 || and he is the **Govern-** | -or • a- | -mong • the |
 people.

29 All **such** as be | fat up- • -on | earth ||
 || **have** | eat- • -en | and • — | worshipped.

30 All they that go down into the **dust** shall |
 kneel • be- | -fore him ||
 || and **no** man hath | quickened • his | own • — |
 soul.

31 **My** | seed • shall | serve him ||
 || they shall be counted unto the **Lord** | for • a |
 gen- • -er- | -ation.

32 They shall come, and the **heavens** shall de- |
 -clare • his | righteousness ||
 || unto a people that shall be **born** | whom • the |
 Lord • hath | made.

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PSALM 23. *Dominus regit me.*

The Lord the true Shepherd,

THE **Lord** | is • my | shepherd ||
 || **therefore** | can • I | lack • — | nothing.

2 He shall **feed** me in a | green • — | pasture ||
 || and lead me **forth** be- | -side • the | waters • of |
 comfort.

Guide and

3 **He** shall con- | -vert • my | soul ||
 || and bring me forth in the paths of **righteousness** |
 for • his | Name's • — | sake.

4 Yea though I walk through the valley of the shadow
 of **death** I will | fear • no | evil ||
 || for thou art with me, thy **rod** and thy | staff • — |
 com- • -fort | me.

Sustainer.

5 Thou shalt prepare a table before me against **them**
 that | trou- • -ble | me ||
 || thou hast anointed my head with **oil** and my |
 cup • — | shall • be | full.

6 But thy loving-kindness and mercy shall follow me
 all the **days** | of • my | life ||
 || and I will dwell in the **house** | of • the |
 Lord • for | ever.

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Morning Prayer

PSALM 24. *Domini est terra.*

The Sovereignty of the Lord.

THE earth is the Lord's, and all that |
 there- • -in | is ||
 || the compass of the world and | they • that |
 dwell • there- | -in.

2 For he hath founded it up- | -on • the | seas ||
 || and prepared | it • up- | -on • the | floods.

His true worshippers.

3 Who shall ascend into the hill | of • the | Lord ||
 || or who shall rise up | in • his | ho- • ly | place?

4 Even he that hath clean hands and a | pure • — |
 heart ||

|| and that hath not lift up his mind unto vanity,
 nor sworn | to • de- | -ceive • his | neighbour.

5 He shall receive the blessing | from • the | Lord ||
 || and righteousness from the | God • of | his • sal-
 -vation.

6 This is the generation of | them • that | seek him ||
 || even of them that | seek • thy | face • O | Jacob.

His welcome to His sanctuary.

7 Lift up your heads O ye gates, and be ye lift up ye
 ever- | -last- • -ing | doors ||
 || and the King of | glo- • -ry | shall • come | in.

8 Who is the | King • of | glory ||
 || it is the Lord strong and mighty, even the |
 Lord • — | mighty • in | battle.

9 Lift up your heads O ye gates, and be ye lift up ye
 ever- | -last- • -ing | doors ||
 || and the King of | glo- • -ry | shall • come | in.

10 Who is the | King • of | glory ||
 || even the Lord of hosts | he • is the | King • of |
 glory.

GLORIA.

PSALM 25. *Ad te, Domine, levavi.*

Confidence.

UNTO thee O Lord will I lift up my soul, my
 God I have put my | trust • in | thee ||
 || O let me not be confounded, neither let mine
 enemies | tri- • -umph | o- • -ver | me.
 2 For all they that hope in **thee** shall | not • be a |
 -shamed ||
 || but such as transgress without a **cause** |
 shall • be | put • to con- | -fusion.

Prayer for personal guidance and forgiveness.

3 Shew me thy | ways • O | Lord ||
 || and | teach • — | me • thy | paths.
 4 Lead me **forth** in thy | truth • and | learn me ||
 || for thou art the God of my salvation, in **thee**
 hath been my | hope • — | all the • day | long.
 5 Call to remembrance O **Lord** thy | ten- • -der |
 mercies ||
 || and thy loving-kindnesses, **which** | have • been |
 ever • of | old.
 6 O remember not the sins and offences | of • my |
 youth ||
 || but according to thy mercy think thou upon **me** O |
 Lord • — | for • thy | goodness.
 7 Gracious and **righteous** | is • the | Lord ||
 || therefore will he **teach** | sin- • -ners | in • the |
 way.
 8 Them that are **meek** shall he | guide • in |
 judgement ||
 || and such as are **gentle** | them • shall he |
 learn • his | way.
 9 All the paths of the **Lord** are | mercy • and | truth ||
 || unto such as **keep** his | cove- • -nant | and • his |
 testimonies.
 10 For thy **Name's** | sake • O | Lord ||
 || be merciful unto my | sin • for | it • is | great.
 11 What man is **he** that | feareth • the | Lord ||
 || him shall he **teach** in the | way • that | he • shall |
 choose.
 12 His **soul** shall | dwell • at | ease ||
 || and his **seed** | shall • in- | -herit • the | land.

13 The secret of the Lord is among | them • that |
 fear him ||
 || and he will | shew • — | them • his | covenant.
14 Mine eyes are ever looking | unto • the | Lord ||
 || for he shall pluck my | feet • — | out of • the | net.

Prayer for forgiveness.

15 Turn thee unto me and have | mercy • up- | -on me ||
 || for I am | deso- • -late | and • in | misery.
16 The sorrows of my heart | are • en- | -larged ||
 || O bring thou | me • — | out of • my | troubles.
17 Look upon my adversi- | -ty • and | misery ||
 || and for- | -give • me | all • my | sin.
18 Consider mine enemies how | many • they | are ||
 || and they bear a | tyran- • -nous | hate • a- |
 -against me.
19 O keep my soul | and • de- | -liver me ||
 || let me not be confounded, for I have | put • my |
 trust • in | thee.
20 Let perfectness and righteous dealing | wait • up- |
 -on me ||
 || for my | hope • hath | been • in | thee.
21 Deliver Isra- | -el • O | God ||
 || out | — • of | all • his | troubles.

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PSALM 26. *Judica me, Domine.*

The pleadings of a righteous soul.

B E thou my Judge O Lord, for I have |
 walk- • -ed | innocently ||
 || my trust hath been also in the Lord |
 there- • -fore | shall I • not | fall.
2 Examine me O | Lord • and | prove me ||
 || try out my | reins • — | and • my | heart.
3 For thy loving-kindness is ever be- | -fore • mine |
 eyes ||
 || and I will | walk • — | in • thy | truth.
4 I have not dwelt with | vain • — | persons ||
 || neither will I have fellowship | with • — |
 the • de- | -ceitful.
5 I have hated the congregation | of • the | wicked ||
 || and will not | sit • a- | -mong • the un- | -godly.

6 I will wash mine hands in **innocency** | O • — | Lord ||
 || and **so** will I | go • — | to • thine | altar ;
 7 That I may shew the **voice** of | thanks- • — |
 -giving ||
 || and **tell** of | all • thy | won- • -drous | works.

8 Lord, I have loved the **habitation** | of • thy | house ||
 || and the **place** | where • thine | hon- • -our |
 dwelleth.

9 O shut not up my **soul** | with • the | sinners ||
 || nor my **life** | with • the | blood- • — | -thirsty ;

10 **In** whose | hands • is | wickedness ||
 || **and** their right | hand • is | full • of | gifts.

11 But as for **me** I will | walk • — | innocently ||
 || O deliver me, **and** be | merci- • -ful | un- • -to | me.

12 My **foot** | stand- • -eth | right ||
 || I will praise the **Lord** | in • the | con- • -gre- |
 -gations.

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Evening Prayer

PSALM 27. *Dominus illuminatio.*

Confidence.

THE Lord is my light and my salvation, **whom**
 then | shall • I | fear ||
 || the Lord is the strength of my life, of **whom** then |
 shall • I | be • a- | -fraid ?

2 When the wicked, even mine enemies and my foes,
 came upon me to **eat** | up • my | flesh ||
 || **they** | stum- • -bled | and • — | fell.

3 Though an host of men were laid against me, yet
 shall not my **heart** | be • a- | -fraid ||
 || and though there rose up war against me, **yet**
 will I | put • my | trust • in | him.

4 One thing have I desired of the **Lord** which I |
 will • re- | -quire ||
 || even that I may dwell in the house of the Lord all
 the days of my life, to behold the fair beauty of
 the **Lord** | and • to | visit • his | temple.

5 For in the time of trouble he shall **hide** me |
 in • his | tabernacle ||
 || yea in the secret place of his dwelling shall he hide
 me, and set me **up** up- | -on • a | rock • of | stone.

6 And now shall he **lift** | up • mine | head || .
 || **above** mine | en- • -emies | round • a- | -bout me.
 7 Therefore will I offer in his dwelling an **oblation**
 with | great • — | gladness ||
 || I will **sing** and speak | prai- • -ses | unto • the |
 Lord.

Prayer.

8 Hearken unto my voice O Lord, when I **cry** |
 un- • -to | thee ||
 || have **mercy** up- | -on • — | me • and | hear me.
 9 My heart hath talked of thee, **Seek** | ye • my | face ||
 || **Thy face** | Lord • — | will • I | seek.
 10 O hide not **thou** thy | face • from | me ||
 || nor cast thy **servant** a- | -way • — | in • dis- |
 -pleasure.
 11 **Thou** hast | been • my | succour ||
 || leave me not neither forsake me O | God • of |
 my • sal- | -vation.
 12 When my **father** and my | mother • for- | -sake me ||
 || **the** | Lord • — | taketh • me | up.
 13 **Teach** me thy | way • O | Lord ||
 || and lead me in the right **way** be- | -cause • — |
 of • mine | enemies.
 14 Deliver me not over into the **will** | of • mine |
 adversaries ||
 || for there are false witnesses risen up **against** me
 and | such • as | speak • — | wrong.

Renewed confidence.

15 I should **utter**- | -ly • have | fainted ||
 || but that I believe verily to see the goodness of the
Lord in the | land • — | of • the | living.
 16 O **tarry** thou the | Lord's • — | leisure ||
 || be strong and he shall comfort thine heart, and
put thou thy | trust • — | in • the | Lord.

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PSALM 28. *Ad te, Domine.*

Prayer.

UNTO thee will I **cry** O | Lord • my | strength ||
 || think no scorn of me, lest if thou make
 as though thou hearest not, I become like **them**
 that go | down • — | into • the | pit.

2 Hear the voice of my humble petitions, when I **cry** |
 un- • -to | thee ||
 || when I hold up my hands towards the **mercy-seat** |
 of • thy | ho- • -ly | temple.

3 O pluck me not away, neither destroy me with the
ungodly and | wick- • -ed | doers ||
 || which speak friendly to their neighbours, but
 imagine | mis- • -chief | in • their | hearts.

4 Reward them **according** | to • their | deeds ||
 || and according to the **wickedness** | of • their |
 own • in- | -ventions.

5 Recompense them after the **work** | of • their |
 hands ||
 || **pay** them | that • they | have • de- | -served.

6 For they regard not in their mind the works of the
 Lord, nor the operation | of • his | hands ||
 || therefore shall he break them **down** | and • not |
 build • them | up.

Thanksgiving for prayer answered.

7 **Praised** | be • the | Lord ||
 || for he hath heard the **voice** | of • my |
 humble • pe- | -titions.

8 The Lord is my strength and my shield, my heart
 hath trusted in **him** and | I • am | helped ||
 || therefore my heart danceth for joy, and **in** my |
 song • — | will • I | praise him.

9 The **Lord** | is • my | strength ||
 || and he is the **wholesome** de- | -fence • of |
 his • An- | -ointed.

10 O save thy people, and give thy **blessing** unto |
 thine • in- | -heritance ||
 || **feed** them and | set • them | up • for | ever.

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PSALM 29. *Aferte Domino.*

Praise the Lord.

BRING unto the Lord O ye mighty, bring young
 rams | unto • the | Lord ||
 || **ascribe** unto the | Lord • — | worship • and |
 strength.

2 Give the Lord the honour **due** | unto • his | Name ||
 || **worship** the | Lord • with | ho- • -ly | worship.

The majesty of the Lord in the storm.

3 It is the **Lord** that com- | -mandeth • the | waters ||
 || it is the glorious | God • that | maketh • the | thunder.

4 It is the Lord that ruleth the sea, the voice of the Lord is **mighty** in | op- • -er- | -ation ||
 || the voice of the **Lord** | is • a | glo- • -rious | voice.

5 The voice of the **Lord** | breaketh • the | cedar-trees ||
 || yea the **Lord** | breaketh • the | cedars • of | Libanus.

6 He maketh them also to **skip** | like • a | calf ||
 || Libanus also and **Sirion** | like • a | young • — | unicorn.

7 The voice of the Lord divideth the flames of fire, the voice of the **Lord** | shaketh • the | wilderness ||
 || yea the Lord **shaketh** the | wil- • -der- | -ness • of | Cades.

8 The voice of the Lord maketh the hinds to bring forth young, and **discovereth** the | thick • — | bushes ||
 || in his temple doth **every** man | speak • — | of • his | honour.

The Lord is King.

9 The Lord **sitteth** a- | -bove • the | water-flood ||
 || and the **Lord** re- | -maineth • a | King • for | ever.

10 The Lord shall give **strength** | unto • his | people ||
 || the Lord shall **give** his | people • the | blessing • of | peace.

GLORIA.

Morning Prayer

PSALM 30. *Exaltabo te, Domine.*

Thanksgiving.

1 WILL magnify thee O Lord, for **thou** hast |
 set • me | up ||
 || and not made my **foes** to | tri- • -umph | o- • -ver | me.

2 O Lord my God, I **cried** | un- • -to | thee ||
 || **and** | thou • hast | heal- • -ed | me.

3 Thou Lord hast brought my **soul** | out • of | hell ||
 || thou hast kept my life from **them** that go | down • — | to • the | pit.

Ground of praise.

4 Sing praises unto the **Lord** O ye | saints • of | his ||
 || and give thanks unto him **for** a re- |
 -mem- • -brance | of • his | holiness.
 5 For his wrath endureth but the twinkling of an eye,
 and **in** his | pleasure • is | life ||
 || heaviness may endure for a night, but **joy** |
 com- • -eth | in • the | morning.

Changes of life.

6 And in my prosperity I said, I shall never |
 be • re- | -moved ||
 || thou Lord of thy **goodness** hast | made • my |
 hill • so | strong.
 7 Thou didst **turn** thy | face • from | me ||
 || **and** | I • — | was • — | troubled.
 8 Then cried I **unto** | thee • O | Lord ||
 || and **gat** me | to • my | Lord • right | humbly.
 9 What profit **is** there | in • my | blood ||
 || **when** I go | down • — | to • the | pit?
 10 Shall the dust give **thanks** | un- • -to | thee ||
 || **or** shall | it • de- | -clare • thy | truth?
 11 Hear O **Lord** and have | mercy • up- | -on me ||
 || **Lord** be | thou • — | my • — | helper.

Deliverance.

12 Thou hast turned my **heaviness** | in- • -to | joy ||
 || thou hast put off my **sackcloth** and | gird- • -ed |
 me • with | gladness.
 13 Therefore shall every good man sing of thy **praise**
 with- | -out • — | ceasing ||
 || O my God, I will give **thanks** | un- • -to |
 thee • for | ever. GLORIA.

PSALM 31. *In te, Domine, speravi.*

Prayer in trust.

IN thee O **Lord** have I | put • my | trust ||
 || let me never be put to confusion de- |
 -liver • me | in • thy | righteousness.
 2 Bow **down** thine | ear • to | me ||
 || **make** | haste • to de- | -liv- • -er | me.
 3 And be thou my strong rock, and **house** | of • de- |
 -fence ||
 || **that** | thou • mayest | save • — | me.

4 For thou art my strong **rock** | and • my | castle ||
 || be thou also my guide, and **lead** me | for • thy |
 Name's • — | sake.

5 Draw me out of the net that they have **laid** |
 priv. • -ily | for me ||
 || **for** | thou • — | art • my | strength.

6 Into thy **hands** I com- | -mend • my | spirit ||
 || for thou hast **redeemed** me O | Lord • thou |
 God • of | truth.

7 I have hated them that **hold** of super- | -sti- • -tious |
 vanities ||
 || and my **trust** hath | been • — | in • the | Lord.

8 I will be glad and **rejoice** | in • thy | mercy ||
 || for thou hast considered my trouble, and hast
 known my | soul • — | in • ad- | -versities.

2nd part
 9 Thou hast not shut me up into the **hand** | of • the |
 enemy ||
 || but hast set my **feet** | in • a | large • — | room.

Picture of distress.

10 Have mercy upon me O **Lord** for I | am • in |
 trouble ||
 || and mine eye is consumed for very heaviness, **yea**
 my | soul • — | and • my | body.

11 For my life is **waxen** | old • with | heaviness ||
 || **and** my | years • — | with • — | mourning.

12 My strength faileth me, **because** of | mine • in- |
 -iquity ||
 || **and** my | bones • — | are • con- | -sumed.

13 I became a reproof among all mine enemies, but
 especially a- | -mong • my | neighbours ||
 || and they of mine acquaintance were afraid of me,
 and they that did see me without con- |
 -veyed • them- | -selves • — | from me.

14 I am clean forgotten, as a **dead** man | out • of | mind ||
 || I am **become** | like • a | bro- • -ken | vessel.

15 For I have heard the **blasphemy** | of • the |
 multitude ||
 || and fear is on every side, while they conspire
 together against me, and take their **counsel** to |
 take • a- | -way • my | life.

Confession and prayer.

16 But my hope hath **been** in | thee • O | Lord ||
 || I have **said** | Thou • — | art • my | God.

17 My time is in thy hand, deliver me from the hand |
of • mine | enemies ||
|| and from | them • that | perse- • -cute | me.
18 Shew thy servant the light | of • thy | countenance ||
|| and save me | for • thy | mer- • -cy's | sake.
19 Let me not be confounded O Lord, for I have |
called • up- | -on thee ||
|| let the ungodly be put to confusion, and be put
to | si- • -lence | in • the | grave.
2nd part 20 Let the lying lips be | put • to | silence ||
|| which cruelly disdainfully and despitefully |
speak • a- | -gainst • the | righteous.

Thanksgiving.

21 O how plentiful is thy goodness, which thou hast
laid up for | them • that | fear thee ||
|| and that thou hast prepared for them that put
their trust in thee, even be- | -fore • the |
sons • of | men !
22 Thou shalt hide them privily by thine own presence
from the pro- | -voking • of | all men ||
|| thou shalt keep them secretly in thy tabernacle |
from • the | strife • of | tongues.
23 Thanks be | to • the | Lord ||
|| for he hath shewed me marvellous great kindness |
in • a | strong • — | city.
24 And when I made | haste • I | said ||
|| I am cast out of the | sight • — | of • thine | eyes.
25 Nevertheless, thou heardest the voice | of • my |
prayer ||
|| when I | cried • — | un- • -to | thee.

The Lord recompenseth.

26 O love the Lord all | ye • his | saints ||
|| for the Lord preserveth them that are faithful, and
plenteously re- | -wardeth • the | proud • — |
doer.
27 Be strong, and he shall e- | -stablish • your | heart ||
|| all ye that put your | trust • — | in • the | Lord.

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Evening Prayer

PSALM 32. *Beati, quorum.*

The blessedness and condition of forgiveness.

BLESSED is he whose **unrighteousness** |
 is • for- | -given ||
 || **and** whose | sin • — | is • — | covered.
 2 Blessed is the man unto whom the **Lord** im- |
 -puteth • no | sin ||
 || **and** in whose | spirit • there | is • no | guile.
 3 For **while** I | held • my | tongue ||
 || my bones consumed away | through • my |
 daily • com- | -plaining.
 4 For thy hand is **heavy** upon me | day • and | night ||
 || and my **moisture** is | like • the | drought • in |
 summer.
 5 I will acknowledge my **sin** | un- • -to | thee ||
 || and mine **unrighteousness** | have • I | not • — |
 hid.
 6 I said I will confess my **sins** | unto • the | Lord ||
 || and so thou forgavest the | wicked- • -ness |
 of • my | sin.

Rest in the Lord.

7 For this shall every one that is godly make his
 prayer unto thee, in a **time** when thou |
 mayest • be | found ||
 || but in the great water-floods | they • shall |
 not • come | nigh him.
 8 Thou art a place to hide me in, thou shalt **preserve** |
 me • from | trouble ||
 || thou shalt compass me **about** with | songs • — |
 of • de- | -liverance.
 9 I will inform thee and teach thee in the **way**
 wherein | thou • shalt | go ||
 || and **I** will | guide • thee | with • mine | eye.
 10 Be ye not like to horse and mule, which have **no** |
 un- • -der- | -standing ||
 || whose mouths must be held with bit and **bridle** |
 lest • they | fall • up- | -on thee.
 11 Great plagues **remain** for | the • un- | -godly ||
 || but whoso putteth his trust in the Lord, mercy
 embraceth | him • on | ev- • -ery | side.

12 Be glad O ye righteous, and rejoice | in • the |
 Lord ||
 || and be joyful all | ye • that are | true • of | heart.
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PSALM 33. *Exultate, justi.*

Praise the Lord.

R EJOICE in the **Lord** | O • ye | righteous ||
 || for it becometh well the | just • — | to • be |
 thankful.

2 **Praise** the | Lord • with | harp ||
 || sing praises unto him with the **lute** and |
 instru- • -ment | of • ten | strings.
 3 Sing unto the **Lord** a | new • — | song ||
 || sing praises lustily unto **him** | with • a | good • — |
 courage.

His truth and righteousness.

4 For the **word** of the | Lord • is | true ||
 || and | all • his | works • are | faithful.
 5 He loveth **righteous-** | -ness • and | judgement ||
 || the earth is **full** of the | good- • -ness | of • the |
 Lord.

His creative power.

6 By the word of the **Lord** were the | heav- • -ens |
 made ||
 || and all the hosts of them **by** the | breath • — |
 of • his | mouth.
 7 He gathereth the waters of the sea together, as it
 were up- | -on • an | heap ||
 || and layeth up the **deep** as | in • a | trea- • -sure |
 house.

8 Let all the **earth** | fear • the | Lord ||
 || stand in awe of him, **all** ye that | dwell • — |
 in • the | world.
 9 For he **spake** and | it • was | done ||
 || he **commanded** | and • it | stood • — | fast.

His government of men.

10 The Lord bringeth the **counsel** of the | heathen • to |
 nought ||
 || and maketh the devices of the people to be of none
 effect, and **casteth** | out • the | counsels • of |
 princes.

11 The counsel of the **Lord** shall en- | -dure • for | ever ||
 || and the thoughts of his heart from **gener-** |
 -ation • to | gen- • -er- | -ation.

12 Blessed are the people whose **God** is the | Lord • Je- |.
 -hovah ||
 || and blessed are the folk that he hath chosen to
 him to | be • — | his • in- | -heritance.

13 The Lord looked down from heaven, and **beheld** all
 the | children • of | men ||
 || from the habitation of his dwelling he considereth
 all them that | dwell • — | on • the | earth.

14 He fashioneth **all** the | hearts • of | them ||
 || and **under-** | -stand- • -eth | all • their | works.

15 There is no king that can be saved by the **multitude** |
 of • an | host ||
 || neither is any mighty **man** de- | -livered • by |
 much • — | strength.

16 A horse is counted but a **vain** thing to | save • a |
 man ||
 || neither shall he deliver any man | by • his |
 great • — | strength.

17 Behold the eye of the Lord is upon | them • that |
 fear him ||
 || and upon them that **put** their | trust • — | in • his |
 mercy;

18 To deliver their | soul • from | death ||
 || and to **feed** them | in • the | time • of | dearth.

Confidence in Him.

19 Our soul hath patiently **tarried** | for • the | Lord ||
 || for **he** is our | help • — | and • our | shield.

20 For our **heart** shall re- | -joice • in | him ||
 || because we have **hoped** | in • his | ho- • -ly | Name.

21 Let thy merciful kindness O **Lord** | be up- • -on | us ||
 || like as **we** do | put • our | trust • in | thee.

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PSALM 34. *Benedicam Domino.*

Praise the Lord.

1 **I** WILL alway give **thanks** | unto • the | Lord ||
 || his **praise** shall | ever • be | in • my | mouth.

2 My soul shall make her **boast** | in • the | Lord ||
 || the humble shall **hear** there- | -of • — | and • be |
 glad.

3 O **praise** the | Lord • with | me ||
 || and let us **magni-** | -fy • his | Name • to- | -gether.

He is a sure Help.

4 I sought the **Lord** | and • he | heard me ||
 || yea he **delivered** me | out • of | all • my | fear.
 5 They had an eye unto **him** | and • were | lightened ||
 || **and** their | faces • were | not • a- | -shamed.
 6 Lo the poor crieth, and the **Lord** | hear- • -eth | him ||
 || yea and **saveth** him | out • of | all • his | troubles.
 7 The angel of the Lord tarrieth **round** about |
 them • that | fear him ||
 || **and** | — • de- | -liv- • -ereth | them.

Make trial of His Grace.

8 O taste and see how **gracious** the | Lord • — | is ||
 || **blessed** is the | man • that | trusteth • in | him.
 9 O fear the **Lord**, **ye** that | are • his | saints ||
 || for **they** that | fear • him | lack • — | nothing.
 10 The lions do **lack** and | suf- • -fer | hunger ||
 || but they who seek the **Lord** shall want no **manner**
 of | thing • — | that • is | good.
 11 Come ye children and **hearken** | un- • -to | me ||
 || I will **teach** you the | fear • — | of • the | **Lord**.
 12 What man is **he** that | lusteth • to | live ||
 || **and** would | fain • — | see • good | days?
 13 **Keep** thy | tongue • from | evil ||
 || and thy **lips** | that • they | speak • no | guile.
 14 Eschew evil and | do • — | good ||
 || **seek** | peace • — | and • en- | -sue it.

He will deliver and judge.

15 The eyes of the **Lord** are | over • the | righteous ||
 || and his **ears** are | o- • -pen | unto • their | prayers.
 16 The countenance of the **Lord** is against **them** that |
 do • — | evil ||
 || to root out the **remembrance** | of • them |
 from • the | earth.
 17 The righteous cry, and the **Lord** | hear- • -eth | them ||
 || and **delivereth** them | out • of | all • their |
 troubles.
 18 The **Lord** is nigh unto them that **are** of a |
 con- • -trite | heart ||
 || and will save **such** as be | of • an | hum- • -ble |
 spirit.

19 Great are the **troubles** | of • the | righteous ||
 || but the Lord **delivereth** | him • — | out • of | all.

20 He **keepeth** | all • his | bones ||
 || **so** that not | one • of | them • is | broken.

21 But misfortune shall **slay** | the • un- | -godly ||
 || and they that **hate** the | right- • -eous | shall • be |
 desolate.

22 The Lord delivereth the **souls** | of • his | servants ||
 || and all they that put their **trust** in | him • shall |
 not • be | destitute.

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Morning Prayer

PSALM 35. *Judica, Domine.*

The Psalmist pleads against his enemies.

PLEAD thou my cause O Lord with **them** that |
 strive • with | me ||
 || and fight thou against **them** that | fight • a- |
 -against • — | me.

2 Lay hand upon the | shield • and | buckler ||
 || **and** | stand • — | up • to | help me.

3 Bring forth the spear, and stop the way against
them that | perse- • -cute | me ||
 || say unto my **soul** | I • am | thy • sal- | -vation.

4 Let them be confounded and put to shame, that
seek | after • my | soul ||
 || let them be turned back and brought to confusion,
that i- | -ma- • -gine | mis- • -chief | for me.

5 Let them be as the **dust** be- | -fore • the | wind ||
 || and the **angel** of the | Lord • — | scatter- • -ing |
 them.

6 Let their **way** be | dark • and | slippery ||
 || and let the **angel** of the | Lord • — | perse- • -cute |
 them.

7 For they have privily laid their net to **destroy** me
 with- | -out • a | cause ||
 || yea even without a cause have they **made** a |
 pit • — | for • my | soul.

8 Let a sudden destruction come upon him unawares,
 and his net that he hath laid **privily** |
 catch • him- | -self ||
 || that he may **fall** | into • his | own • — | mischief.

9 And my soul, be joyful | in • the | Lord ||
 || it shall re- | -joice • in | his • sal- | -vation.

10 All my bones shall say, Lord who is like unto thee,
 who deliverest the poor from **him** that is too |
 strong • for | him ||
 || yea the poor and him that is in **misery** from |
 him • that | spoil- • -eth | him?

Their cruel ingratitude.

11 False witnesses did | rise • — | up ||
 || they laid to my **charge** | things • — | that • I |
 knew not.

12 They rewarded me | evil • for | good ||
 || to the **great** dis- | -com- • -fort | of • my | soul.

13 Nevertheless when they were sick I put on sackcloth,
 and **humbled** my | soul • with | fasting ||
 || and my prayer shall **turn** | into • mine | own • — |
 bosom.

14 I behaved myself as though it had been my **friend** |
 or • my | brother ||
 || I went heavily, as **one** that | mourn- • -eth |
 for • his | mother.

15 But in mine adversity they rejoiced, and gathered
 them- | -selves • to- | -gether ||
 || yea, the very abjects came together against me
 unawares, making **mouths** at | me • and |
 ceas- • -ed | not.

16 With the **flatterers** were | bu- • -sy | mockers ||
 || who **gnashed** up- | -on • me | with • their | teeth.

17 Lord how **long** wilt thou | look up- • -on | this ||
 || O deliver my soul from the calamities which they
 bring on me, **and** my | dar- • -ling | from • the |
 lions.

18 So will I give thee thanks in the **great** | con- • -gre- |
 -gation ||
 || I will **praise** | thee • a- | -mong • much | people.

Prayer for judgment leading to thanksgiving.

19 O let not them that are mine enemies triumph over |
 me • un- | -godly ||
 || neither let them wink with their **eyes** that |
 hate • me with- | -out • a | cause.

20 And why, their **communing** is | not • for | peace ||
 || but they imagine deceitful words against **them**
 that are | qui- • -et | in • the | land.

21 They gaped upon me with their | mouths • and | said ||
 || Fie on thee, fie on thee we | saw • it | with • our | eyes.

22 This thou hast | seen • O | Lord ||
 || hold not thy tongue then, go not | far • from | me • O | Lord.

23 Awake and stand up to | judge • my | quarrel ||
 || avenge thou my cause my | God • — | and • my | Lord.

24 Judge me O Lord my God according | to • thy |
 righteousnes ||
 || and let them not | tri- • -umph | o- • -ver | me.

25 Let them not say in their hearts, There, there, so |
 would • we | have it ||
 || neither let them say We | have • de- | -vour- • -ed | him.

26 Let them be put to confusion and shame together
 that rejoice | at • my | trouble ||
 || let them be clothed with rebuke and dishonour
 that | boast • them- | -selves • a- | -gainst me.

27 Let them be glad and rejoice that favour my |
 right- • -eous | dealing ||
 || yea let them say alway, Blessed be the Lord who
 hath pleasure in the pro- | -speri- • -ty |
 of • his | servant.

28 And as for my tongue, it shall be talking | of • thy |
 righteousness ||
 || and of thy praise | all • the | day • — | long.

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PSALM 36. *Dixit injustus.*

The recklessness of the wicked.

MY heart sheweth me the wickedness |
 of • the un- | -godly ||
 || that there is no fear of | God • be- | -fore • his |
 eyes.

2 For he flattereth himself in his | own • — | sight ||
 || until his abominable | sin • be | found • — | out.

3 The words of his mouth are unrighteous and full |
 of • de- | -ceit ||
 || he hath left off to behave himself wisely |
 and • to | do • — | good.

4 He imagineth mischief upon his bed, and hath set
 himself in | no • good | way ||
 || neither doth he abhor | any • thing | that • is |
 evil.

The unfailing goodness of God.

5 Thy mercy O Lord **reacheth** | unto • the | heavens ||
 || **and** thy | faithful- • -ness | unto • the | clouds.
 6 Thy righteousness standeth **like** the | strong • — |
 mountains ||
 || thy **judgements** are | like • the | great • — | deep.
 7 Thou Lord shalt save both man and beast, How
 excellent **is** thy | mercy • O | God ||
 || and the children of men shall put their trust
 under the | sha- • -dow | of • thy | wings.
 8 They shall be satisfied with the **plenteousness** |
 of • thy | house ||
 || and thou shalt give them drink of thy **pleasures**
 as | out • — | of • the | river.
 9 For with **thee** is the | well • of | life ||
 || and in thy **light** | shall • we | see • — | light.

Prayer in confidence.

10 O continue forth thy loving-**kindness** unto |
 them • that | know thee ||
 || and thy righteousness unto **them** | that • are |
 true • of | heart.
 11 O let not the foot of **pride** | come • a- | -against me ||
 || and let not the **hand** of the un- | -god- • -ly |
 cast • me | down.
 12 There are they fallen, **all** that | work • — | wicked-
 ness ||
 || they are cast **down** and shall | not • be | able • to |
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Evening Prayer

PSALM 37. *Noli æmulari.*

The just retribution of God.

FRET not thyself because of | the • un- | -godly ||
 || neither be thou **envious** a- | -against • the |
 e- • -vil | doers.
 2 For they shall soon be cut **down** | like • the | grass ||
 || and be withered even | as • the | green • — | herb.

Patience has its reward.

3 Put thou thy trust in the **Lord** and be | do- • -ing |
good ||
|| dwell in the land, and verily | thou • — |
shalt • be | fed.

4 Delight thou | in • the | Lord ||
|| and he shall give | thee • thy | heart's • de- | -sire.

5 Commit thy way unto the Lord, and put thy |
trust • in | him ||
|| and | he • shall | bring it • to | pass.

6 He shall make thy righteousness as **clear** | as • the |
light ||
|| and thy **just** | deal- • -ing | as • the | noon-day.

7 Hold thee still in the Lord, and abide **patiently** up- |
-on • — | him ||
|| but grieve not thyself at him whose way doth
prosper, against the man that doeth | af- • -ter |
e- • -vil | counsels.

8 Leave off from **wrath** and let | go • dis- | -pleasure ||
|| fret not thyself, **else** shalt thou be | moved • to |
do • — | evil.

9 Wicked doers **shall** be | root- • -ed | out ||
|| and they that patiently abide the **Lord** |
those • shall in- | -herit • the | land.

10 Yet a little while, and the ungodly **shall** be |
clean • — | gone ||
|| thou shalt look after his **place** and | he • shall |
be • a- | -way.

11 But the meek-spirited **shall** pos- | -sess • the | earth ||
|| and shall be **refreshed** in the | mul- • -ti- |
-tude • of | peace.

The strength of the wicked is weakness.

12 The ungodly seeketh **counsel** a- | -gainst • the | just ||
|| and **gnasheth** up- | -on • him | with • his | teeth.

13 The Lord shall **laugh** | him • to | scorn ||
|| for he hath **seen** | that • his | day • is | coming.

14 The ungodly have drawn out the **sword** and have |
bent • their | bow ||
|| to cast down the poor and needy, and to slay such
as **are** of a | right • — | con- • -ver- | -sation.

15 Their sword shall go **through** their | own • — |
heart ||
|| and their | bow • — | shall • be | broken.

16 A small thing **that** the | right- • -eous | hath ||
 || is better than **great** | rich- • -es | of • the un- |
 -godly.

17 For the arms of the **ungodly** | shall • be | broken ||
 || **and** the | Lord • up- | -holdeth • the | righteous.

18 The Lord knoweth the **days** | of • the | godly ||
 || and their **inheritance** | shall • en- | -dure • for | ever.

19 They shall not be **confounded** in the | peril- • -ous |
 time ||
 || and in the days of **dearth** | they • shall | have • e- |
 -nough.

20 As for the **ungodly** they shall perish, and the
 enemies of the Lord shall **consume** as the |
 fat • of | lambs ||
 || yea even as the **smoke** shall | they • con- |
 -sume • a- | -way.

The sure reward of the righteous.

21 The **ungodly** borroweth, and **payeth** | not • a- | -gain ||
 || but the **righteous** is | mer- • -ci- | -ful • and |
 liberal.

22 Such as are blessed of **God** shall pos- | -sess • the |
 land ||
 || and they that are cursed of **him** | shall • be |
 root- • -ed | out.

23 The Lord **ordereth** a | good • man's | going ||
 || and maketh his **way** ac- | -cepta- • -ble | to • him- |
 -self.

24 Though he fall, he shall **not** be | cast • a- | -way ||
 || for the **Lord** up- | -holdeth • him | with • his |
 hand.

25 I have been **young** and | now • am | old ||
 || and yet saw I never the righteous forsaken, **nor**
 his | seed • — | begging • their | bread.

26 The righteous is ever **merci-** | -ful • and | lendeth ||
 || **and** his | seed • — | is • — | blessed.

27 Flee from evil, and do the **thing** | that • is | good ||
 || **and** | dwell • for | ev- • -er- | -more.

28 For the Lord loveth the **thing** | that • is | right ||
 || he forsaketh not his that be godly, but **they** |
 are • pre- | -served • for | ever.

29 The **unrighteous** | shall • be | punished ||
 || as for the seed of the **ungodly** it | shall • be |
 root- • -ed | out.

30 The righteous **shall** in- | -herit • the | land ||
 || **and** | dwell • there- | -in • for | ever.

Counsels of wisdom for life.

31 The mouth of the righteous is **exer-** | -cised • in |
 wisdom ||
 || and his **tongue** | will • be | talking • of | judgement.

32 The law of his **God** is | in • his | heart ||
 || **and** his | go- • -ings | shall • not | slide.

33 The **ungodly** | seeth • the | righteous ||
 || **and** | seeketh • oc- | -asion • to | slay him.

34 The Lord will not **leave** him | in • his | hand ||
 || **nor** con- | -demn • him | when • he is | judged.

35 Hope thou in the Lord and keep his way, and he
 shall promote thee that **thou** shalt pos- |
 -sess • the | land ||
 || when the **ungodly** shall | per- • -ish | thou • shalt |
 see it.

36 I myself have seen the **ungodly** in | great • — |
 power ||
 || and **flourishing** | like • a | green • — | bay-tree.

37 I went by, and **to** | he • was | gone ||
 || I sought him, but his **place** could | no • — |
 where • be | found.

38 Keep innocence, and take heed unto the **thing** |
 that • is | right ||
 || for that shall **bring** a man | peace • — | at • the |
 last.

39 As for the transgressors, **they** shall | perish • to- |
 -gether ||
 || and the end of the **ungodly** is, they shall be
rooted | out • — | at • the | last.

40 But the salvation of the righteous **cometh** | of • the |
 Lord ||
 || who is also their **strength** | in • the | time • of |
 trouble.

41 And the Lord shall **stand** by | them • and |
 save them ||
 || he shall deliver them from the **ungodly** and shall
 save them, **because** they | put • their | trust • in |
 him.

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Morning Prayer

PSALM 38. *Domine, ne in furore.*

Prayer in anguish.

PUT me not to rebuke O **Lord** | in • thine
anger ||
|| neither **chasten** me | in • thy | heavy • dis- |
-pleasure.

2 For thine **arrows** stick | fast • in | me ||
|| and thy | hand • — | presseth • me | sore.

Affliction of body.

3 There is no health in my flesh **because** of |
thy • dis- | -pleasure ||
|| neither is there any rest in my **bones** by | rea- • -son |
of • my | sin.

4 For my wickednesses are **gone** | over • my | head ||
|| and are like a sore **burden** too | heavy • for |
me • to | bear.

5 My wounds **stink** and | are • cor- | -rupt ||
|| **through** | — • — | my • — | foolishness.

6 I am brought into so **great** | trouble • and | misery ||
|| that I go **mourning** | all • the | day • — | long.

7 For my loins are **filled** with a | sore • dis- | -ease ||
|| and there is no **whole** | part • — | in • my | body.

8 I am **feeble** and | sore • — | smitten ||
|| I have roared for the **very** dis- | -quiet- • -ness |
of • my | heart.

9 Lord, thou knowest all | my • de- | -sire ||
|| and my **groaning** | is • not | hid • from | thee.

10 My heart panteth, my **strength** hath | fail- • -ed |
me ||
|| and the **sight** of mine | eyes • is | gone • — |
from me.

Afflictions from men.

11 My lovers and my neighbours did stand **looking** up- |
-on • my | trouble ||
|| and my **kinsmen** | stood • a- | -far • — | off.

12 They also that sought after my **life** laid | snares • for |
me ||
|| and they that went about to do me evil talked
of wickedness, and imagined **deceit** | all • the |
day • — | long.

13 As for me, I was like a **deaf** | man • and | heard
not ||
|| and as one that is **dumb** who | doth • not |
open • his | mouth.

14 I became even as a **man** that | hear- • -eth | not ||
|| **and** in whose | mouth • are | no • re- | -proofs.

God is the only refuge.

15 For in thee O **Lord** have I | put • my | trust ||
|| thou shalt **answer** for | me • O | Lord • my | God.

16 I have required that they, even mine enemies,
should not **triumph** | o- • -ver | me ||
|| for when my foot slipped, **they** re- | -joi- • -ced |
great- • -ly a- | -gainst me.

17 And I truly am **set** | in • the | plague ||
|| and my **heaviness** is | ev- • -er | in • my | sight.

18 For I **will** con- | -fess • my | wickedness ||
|| **and** be | sor- • -ry | for • my | sin.

19 But mine enemies **live** | and • are | mighty ||
|| and they that hate me **wrongfully** are | ma- • -ny |
in • — | number.

20 They also that reward evil for **good** | are • a- |
-against me ||
|| because I **follow** the | thing • that | good • — | is.

21 Forsake me **not** O | Lord • my | God ||
|| **be not** | thou • — | far • from | me.

22 **Haste** | thee • to | help me ||
|| O **Lord** | God • of | my • sal- | -vation.

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PSALM 39. *Dixi, Custodiam.*

The trial of faith.

1 **I** SAID, I will take **heed** | to • my | ways ||
|| that **I** of- | -fend • not | in • my | tongue.

2 I will keep my mouth as it **were** | with • a | bridle ||
|| **while** the un- | -godly • is | in • my | sight.

3 I held my **tongue** and I spake • — | nothing ||
 || I kept silence, yea even from good words, **but** it
 was | pain • and | grief • to | me.
 4 My heart was hot within me, and while I was thus
 musing the | fire • — | kindled ||
 || and at the **last** I | spake • — | with • my | tongue;

The petition of man in his frailty.

5 Lord, let me know mine end, and the **number** |
 of • my | days ||
 || that I may be **certified** how | long • I | have • to |
 live.
 6 Behold thou hast made my days as it **were** a |
 span • — | long ||
 || and mine age is even as nothing in respect of
 thee, and verily every man **living** is | al- • -to- |
 -ge- • -ther | vanity.
 7 For man walketh in a vain shadow, and disquieteth
 him- | -self • in | vain ||
 || he heapeth up riches, and cannot **tell** | who • shall |
 ga- • -ther | them.

God can give rest after chastening.

8 And now Lord, **what** | is • my | hope ||
 || **truly** my | hope • is | even • in | thee.
 9 Deliver me from **all** | mine • of- | -fences ||
 || and make me **not** a re- | -buke • — | unto • the |
 foolish.
 10 I became dumb, and **opened** | not • my | mouth ||
 || **for** | it • was | thy • — | doing.
 11 Take thy **plague** a- | -way • from | me ||
 || I am even consumed by the **means** | of • thy |
 heav- • -y | hand.
 12 When thou with rebukes dost chasten man for sin,
 thou makest his beauty to consume away, like
 as it were a **moth** | fretting • a | garment ||
 || **every** man | there- • -fore | is • but | vanity.

Spare, Lord!

13 Hear my prayer O Lord, and with thine **ears** con- |
 -sider • my | calling ||
 || **hold** not thy | peace • — | at • my | tears.
 14 For **I** am a | stranger • with | thee ||
 || and a **sojourner** as | all • my | fa- • -thers | were.

15 O spare me a little, that I may re- | -cover • my | strength ||

|| before I go hence and | be • no | more • — | seen.

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PSALM 40. *Expectans expectavi.*

Thanksgiving for the untold mercies of God.

I WAITED patiently | for • the | Lord ||
|| and he inclined unto | me • and | heard • my | calling.

2 He brought me also out of the horrible pit, out of
the | mire • and | clay ||
|| and set my feet upon the rock and | order- • -ed |
my • — | goings.

3 And he hath put a new song | in • my | mouth ||
|| even a thanks- | -giv- • -ing | unto • our | God.

4 Many shall | see it • and | fear ||.
|| and shall put their | trust • — | in • the | Lord.

5 Blessed is the man that hath set his hope | in • the |
Lord ||
|| and turned not unto the proud, and to such as |
go • a- | -bout • with | lies.

6 O Lord my God, great are the wondrous works which
thou hast done, like as be also thy thoughts
which | are • to | us-ward ||
|| and yet there is no man that ordereth | them • — |
un- • -to | thee.

7 If I should declare them and | speak • of | them ||
|| they should be more than I am | a- • -ble
to • ex- | -press.

The offering of service which God chooses.

8 Sacrifice and meat-offering thou | would- • -est |
not ||

|| but mine | ears • — | hast • thou | opened.

9 Burnt-offerings and sacrifice for sin hast thou |
not • re- | -quired ||

|| then | said • I | Lo • I | come,

10 In the volume of the book it is written of me, that
I should fulfil thy will | O • my | God ||

|| I am content to do it, yea thy law | is • with- |
-in • my | heart.

11 I have declared thy righteousness in the great |
 con- • -gre- | -gation ||
 || lo I will not refrain my lips O | Lord • and |
 that • thou | knowest.

12 I have not hid thy righteousness with- | -in • my |
 heart ||
 || my talk hath been of thy truth | and • of |
 thy • sal- | -vation.

^{2nd} part 13 I have not kept back thy loving | mercy • and |
 truth ||
 || from the | great • — | con- • -gre- | -gation.

Prayer in distress.

14 Withdraw not thou thy mercy from | me • O | Lord ||
 || let thy loving-kindness and thy truth | alway • pre- |
 -serve • — | me.

15 For innumerable troubles are come about me, my
 sins have taken such hold upon me that I am
 not able to | look • — | up ||
 || yea they are more in number than the hairs of my
 head, and my | heart • hath | fail- • -ed | me.

16 O Lord, let it be thy pleasure to de- | -li- • -ver |
 me ||
 || make | haste • O | Lord • to | help me.

17 Let them be ashamed and confounded together, that
 seek after my soul | to • de- | -stroy it ||
 || let them be driven backward and put to re- |
 -buke • that | wish • me | evil.

18 Let them be desolate, and re- | -warded • with |
 shame ||
 || that say unto me, Fie up- | -on • thee | fie • up- |
 -on thee.

19 Let all those that seek thee be joyful and | glad • in |
 thee ||
 || and let such as love thy salvation say alway The |
 Lord • — | be • — | praised.

20 As for me I am | poor • and | needy ||
 || but the | Lord • — | ca- • -reth | for me.

21 Thou art my helper | and • re- | -deemer ||
 || make no long | tarry- • -ing | O • my | God.

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Evening Prayer

PSALM 41. *Beatus qui intelligit.*

The blessedness of the merciful.

BLESSED is he that considereth the | poor • and |
 needy ||
|| the Lord shall deliver him | in • the | time • of |
 trouble.

2 The Lord preserve him and keep him alive, that he
 may be **blessed** up- | -on • — | earth ||
|| and deliver not thou him into the | will • — |
 of • his | enemies.

3 The Lord comfort him when he lieth **sick** up- |
 -on • his | bed ||
|| make thou **all** his | bed • — | in • his | sickness.

Desolation.

4 I said, Lord be **merciful** | un- • -to | me ||
|| heal my **soul** for I have | sinned • a- | -against • — |
 thee.

5 Mine enemies **speak** | e- • -vil | of me ||
|| When shall he **die** | and • his | name • — | perish ?

6 And if he come to **see** me he | speak- • -eth | **vanity** ||
|| and his heart conceiveth falsehood within himself,
 and when he **cometh** | forth • he | tell- • -eth | it.

7 All mine enemies whisper together a- | -against • — |
 me ||
|| even against **me** do | they • i- | -magine • this | **evil**.

8 Let the sentence of **guiltiness** pro- | -ceed • a- |
 -against him ||
|| and now that he lieth, **let** him | rise • — | up • no |
 more.

9 Yea even mine own familiar **friend** | whom • I |
 trusted ||
|| who did also eat of my **bread** hath | laid • great |
 wait • for | me.

Confidence in present affliction.

10 But be thou merciful **unto** | me • O | Lord ||
|| raise thou me **up** again | and • I | shall • re- |
 -ward them.

11 By this I **know** thou | favour- • -est | me ||
 || that mine **enemy** | doth • not | triumph • a- |
 -gainst me.

12 And when I am in my health, **thou** up- |
 -hold- • -est | me ||
 || and shalt **set** me be- | -fore • thy | face • for | ever.

13 Blessed be the Lord **God** of | Is- • -ra- | -el ||
 || **world** without | end • — | A- • — | -men.

GLORIA.

PSALM 42 *Quemadmodum.*

An exile recalls in sorrow the worship of old time.

LIKE as the **hart** de- | -sireth • the | water-brooks ||
 || so longeth my **soul** | af- • -ter | thee • O |
 God.

2 My soul is athirst for God, yea even for the |
 liv- • -ing | God ||
 || when shall I come to appear be- | -fore • the |
 presence • of | God ?

3 My tears have been my **meat** | day • and | night ||
 || while they daily **say** unto me | Where • is |
 now • thy | God ?

4 Now when I think thereupon, I pour out my **heart** |
 by • my | -self ||
 || for I went with the multitude, and brought them
forth | into • the | house • of | God ;

5 In the voice of **praise** | and • thanks- | -giving ||
 || **among** | such • as | keep • — | holy-day.

6 Why art thou so full of **heaviness** | O • my | soul ||
 || and why art thou **so** dis- | -qui- • -et- | -ed • with- |
 -in me ?

7 **Put** thy | trust • in | God ||
 || for I will yet give him **thanks** for the | help • — |
 of • his | countenance.

His prayer from a strange land.

8 My God, my **soul** is | vexed • with- | -in me ||
 || therefore will I remember thee concerning the
 land of Jordan, **and** the | lit- • -tle | hill • of |
 Hermon.

9 One deep calleth another, because of the **noise** of
 the | wa- • -ter- | -pipes ||
 || all thy waves and **storms** are | gone • — |
 o- • -ver | me.

10 The Lord hath granted his loving-kindness |
 in • the | day-time ||
 || and in the night-season did I sing of him, and
 made my prayer unto the | God • — | of • my |
 life.

11 I will say unto the God of my strength, Why hast
 thou for- | -got- • -ten | me ||
 || why go I thus heavily, while the | enemy • op- |
 -press- • -eth | me ?

12 My bones are smitten asunder | as • with a | sword ||
 || while mine enemies that trouble me | cast • me |
 in • the | teeth ;

13 Namely while they say daily | un- • -to | me ||
 || Where | — • is | now • thy | God ?

14 Why art thou so vexed | O • my | soul ||
 || and why art thou so dis- | -qui- • -et- | -ed • with- |
 -in me ?

15 O put thy | trust • in | God ||
 || for I will yet thank him, which is the help of my |
 counte- • -nance | and • my | God.

GLORIA.

PSALM 43. *Judica me, Deus.*

The exile's prayer for restoration to the city and temple of God.

GIVE sentence with me O God, and defend my
 cause against the un- | -god- • -ly | people ||
 || O deliver me from the de- | -ceitful • and |
 wick- • -ed | man.

2 For thou art the God of my strength, why hast
 thou | put • me | from thee ||
 || and why go I so heavily, while the | enemy • op- |
 -press- • -eth | me ?

3 O send out thy light and thy truth that | they • may |
 lead me ||
 || and bring me unto thy holy | hill • and | to • thy |
 dwelling.

4 And that I may go unto the altar of God, even unto
 the God of my | joy • and | gladness ||
 || and upon the harp will I give thanks unto |
 thee • O | God • my | God.

5 Why art thou so heavy | O • my | soul ||
 || and why art thou so dis- | -qui- • -et- | -ed • with- |
 -in me ?

6 O put thy | trust • in | God ||
 || for I will yet give him thanks, which is the **help**
 of my | counte- • -nance | and • my | God.

GLORIA.

Morning Prayer

PSALM 44. *Deus, auribus.*

The past mercies of God to Israel.

WE have heard with our ears O **God** our |
 fathers • have | told us ||
 || what thou hast **done** | in • their | time • of | old ;
 2 How thou hast driven out the heathen with thy
 hand, and **planted** | them • — | in ||
 || how thou hast destroyed the **nations** and |
 cast • — | them • — | out.
 3 For they gat not the land in possession **through**
 their | own • — | sword ||
 || neither was it their **own** | arm • that | help- • -ed |
 them ;
 4 But thy right hand and thine arm, and the **light** |
 of • thy | countenance ||
 || because thou **hadst** a | fa- • -vour | un- • -to | them.

The people's trust in Him.

5 **Thou** art my | King • O | God ||
 || **send** | help • — | un- • -to | Jacob.
 6 Through thee will we over- | -throw • our | enemies ||
 || and in thy Name will we tread them **under** that |
 rise • — | up • a- | -gainst us.
 7 For I will not **trust** | in • my | bow ||
 || it is **not** my | sword • — | that • shall | help me ;
 8 But it is thou that **savest** us | from • our | enemies ||
 || and **puttest** them | to • con- | -fusion • that |
 hate us.
 9 We make our boast of **God** | all • day | long ||
 || **and** will | praise • thy | Name • for | ever.

Prayer in present national distress.

10 But now thou art far off, and **puttest** us | to • con- |
 -fusion ||
 || and **goest** not | forth • — | with • our | armies.
 11 Thou makest us to turn our **backs** up- | -on • our |
 enemies ||
 || so that **they** which | hate • us | spoil • our | goods.

12 Thou lettest us be eaten | up • like | sheep ||
 || and hast scattered | us • a- | -mong • the | heathen.
 13 Thou sellest thy | people • for | nought ||
 || and | takest • no | mo- • -ney | for them.
 14 Thou makest us to be rebuked | of • our | neighbours ||
 || to be laughed to scorn, and had in derision of
 them | that • are | round • a- | -bout us.
 15 Thou makest us to be a by-word a- | -mong • the |
 heathen ||
 || and that the people | shake • their | heads • at | us.
 16 My confusion is | daily • be- | -fore me ||
 || and the shame of my | face • hath | co- • -vered |
 me ;
 17 For the voice of the slanderer | and • blas- | -phemer ||
 || for the | en- • -emy | and • a- | -venger.

Faith unshaken by reverses.

18 And though all this be come upon us, yet do we |
 not • for- | -get thee ||
 || nor behave ourselves | foward- • -ly | in • thy |
 covenant.
 19 Our heart is not | turn- • -ed | back ||
 || neither our | steps • gone | out of • thy | way ;
 2nd part 20 No, not when thou hast smitten us into the |
 place • of | dragons ||
 || and covered us | with • the | shadow • of | death.
 21 If we have forgotten the Name of our God, and
 holden up our hands to any | strange • — | god ||
 || shall not God search it out, for he knoweth the
 very | se- • -crets | of • the | heart.
 22 For thy sake also are we killed | all the • day | long ||
 || and are counted as sheep ap- | -point- • -ed |
 to • be | slain.

Call for help.

23 Up Lord, why | sleep- • -est | thou ||
 || awake, and be not | absent • from | us • for | ever.
 24 Wherefore hidest | thou • thy | face ||
 || and forgettest our | mi- • -ser- | -y • and | trouble ?
 25 For our soul is brought low, even | unto • the | dust ||
 || our belly | cleav- • -eth | unto • the | ground.
 26 A- | -rise • and | help us ||
 || and deliver us | for • thy | mer- • -cy's | sake.

GLORIA.

PSALM 45. *Eructavit cor meum.*

The beauty of the Divine King.

1 **M**Y heart is inditing of a | good • — | matter ||
 || I speak of the things which **I** have |
 made • — | unto • the | King.

2 My **tongue** | is • the | pen ||
 || **of** | — • a | rea- • -dy | writer.

3 Thou art **fairer** than the | children • of | men ||
 || full of grace are thy lips, because **God** hath |
 bless- • -ed | thee • for | ever.

His strength in war.

4 Gird thee with thy sword upon thy **thigh** O |
 thou • most | Mighty ||
 || according to thy | wor- • -ship | and • re- | -nown.

5 Good **luck** have thou | with • thine | honour ||
 || ride on, because of the word of truth of meekness
 and righteousness, and thy right **hand** shall |
 teach • thee | terri- • -ble | things.

6 Thy arrows are very sharp, and the people shall be
 subdued | un- • -to | thee ||
 || even in the **midst** a- | -mong • the | King's • — |
 enemies.

His righteous sovereignty.

7 Thy seat O **God** en- | -dureth • for | ever ||
 || the sceptre of thy **kingdom** | is • a | right • — |
 sceptre.

8 Thou hast loved **righteousness** and | hated • in- |
 -iquity ||
 || wherefore God, even thy God, hath anointed thee
 with the **oil** of | gladness • a- | -bove • thy |
 fellows.

His state.

9 All thy garments smell of **myrrh** | aloes • and |
 cassia ||
 || out of the ivory palaces, whereby | they • have |
 made • thee | glad.

10 Kings' daughters were among thy **honour**- | -a- • -ble |
 women ||
 || upon thy right hand did stand the queen in a
 vesture of gold, **wrought** a- | -bout • with |
 di- • -vers | colours.

The devotion and

11 Hearken O daughter and consider in- | -cline • thine |
ear ||
|| forget also thine own people | and • thy |
fa- • -ther's | house.

12 So shall the King have pleasure | in • thy | beauty ||
|| for he is thy Lord **God** and | wor- • -ship |
thou • — | him.

13 And the daughter of Tyre shall be **there** | with • a |
gift ||
|| like as the rich also among the people shall make
their **suppli-** | -cation • be- | -fore • — | thee.

the coming of His Bride.

14 The King's daughter is all **glori-** | -ous • with- | -in ||
|| her **clothing** | is • of | wrought • — | gold.

15 She shall be brought unto the **King** in | raiment • of |
needle-work ||
|| the virgins that be her fellows shall bear her
company, **and** shall be | brought • — | un- • -to |
thee.

16 With joy and **gladness** shall | they • be | brought ||
|| and shall **enter** | into • the | King's • — | palace.

The blessing on their union.

17 Instead of thy **fathers** thou | shalt • have | children ||
|| whom thou mayest **make** | princes • in | all • — |
lands.

18 I will remember thy Name from one generation |
to • an- | -other ||
|| therefore shall the people give thanks unto **thee** |
world • with- | -out • — | end. **GLORIA.**

PSALM 46. *Deus noster refugium.*

God is our hope.

GOD is our | hope • and | strength ||
|| a **very** | pre- • -sent | help • in | trouble.

2 Therefore will we not fear, **though** the | earth • be |
moved ||
|| and though the hills be carried **into** the |
midst • — | of • the | sea.

3 Though the waters **thereof** | rage • and | swell ||
|| and though the mountains **shake** at the |
tem- • -pest | of • the | same.

He will guard and gladden His Holy city,

4 The rivers of the flood thereof shall make **glad** the |
city • of | God ||
|| the holy place of the **tabernacle** | of • the |
most • — | Highest.
5 God is in the midst of her, therefore shall she **not** |
be • re- | -moved ||
|| **God** shall | help • her and | that • right | early.
6 The heathen make much **ado** and the | kingdoms • are [
moved ||
|| but God hath shewed his **voice** and the |
earth • shall | melt • a- | -way.

2nd part 7 The **Lord** of | hosts • is | with us ||
|| the **God** of | Ja- • -cob | is • our | refuge.

and establish a kingdom of peace.

8 O come hither and behold the **works** | of • the |
Lord ||
|| what destruction **he** hath | brought • up- |
-on • the | earth.
9 He maketh wars to **cease** in | all • the | world ||
|| he breaketh the bow and knappeth the spear in
sunder, and **burneth** the | cha- • -riots |
in • the | fire.
10 Be still then, and **know** that | I • am | God ||
|| I will be exalted among the heathen, and **I** will be
ex- | -alt- • -ed | in • the | earth.
11 The **Lord** of | hosts • is | with us ||
|| the **God** of | Ja- • -cob | is • our | refuge.

GLORIA.

Evening Prayer

PSALM 47. *Omnes gentes, plaudite.*

Praise God for His conquering Majesty.

O CLAP your hands together | all • ye | people ||
|| O sing unto **God** | with • the | voice • of |
melody.
2 For the Lord is **high** and | to • be | feared ||
|| he is the **great** | King up- • -on | all • the | earth.
3 He shall subdue the **people** | un- • -der | us ||
|| **and** the | na- • -tions | under • our | feet.

4 He shall choose **out** an | heri- • -tage | for us ||
 || even the **worship** of | Ja- • -cob | whom • he |
 loved.

He has triumphed.

5 God is gone **up** with a | mer- • -ry | noise ||
 || and the **Lord** with the | sound • — | of • the |
 trump.

Praise God for His universal sovereignty.

6 O sing praises, sing **praises** | unto • our | God ||
 || O sing **praises** sing | prai- • -ses | unto • our | King.

7 For God is the **King** of | all • the | earth ||
 || **sing** ye | praises • with | un- • -der- | -standing.

8 God **reigneth** | over • the | heathen ||
 || God **sitteth** up- | -on • his | ho- • -ly | seat.

9 The princes of the people are joined unto the **people**
 of the | God • of | Abraham ||
 || for God, which is very high exalted, doth defend
 the **earth** as it | were • — | with • a | shield.

GLORIA.

PSALM 48. *Magnus Dominus.*

Sion the city of God.

GREAT is the Lord, and **highly** | to • be |
 praised ||
 || in the city of our God, even up- | -on • his |
 ho- • -ly | hill.

2 The hill of Sion is a fair place, and the **joy** of the |
 whole • — | earth ||
 || upon the north-side lieth the city of the great
 King, God is well known in her **palaces** |
 as • a | sure • — | refuge.

He has protected her;

3 For lo the **kings** | of • the | earth ||
 || are **gathered** and | gone • — | by • to- | -gether.

4 They **marvelled** to | see • such | things ||
 || they were **astonished** and | sudden- • -ly | cast • — |
 down.

5 Fear came **there** upon | them • and | sorrow ||
 || **as** upon a | wo- • -man | in • her | travail.

6 Thou shalt break the **ships** | of • the | sea ||
 || **through** | — • the | east • — | wind.

2nd part

7 Like as we have heard, so have we seen in the city
of the Lord of hosts, in the city | of | our | God ||
|| God up- | -holdeth | the | same | for | ever.
and will protect her.

8 We wait for thy loving- | -kindness • O | God ||
|| in the | midst • — | of | thy | temple.

9 O God according to thy Name, so is thy praise
unto the | world's • — | end ||
|| thy right | hand • is | full • of | righteousness.

10 Let the mount Sion rejoice, and the daughter of |
Judah • be | glad ||
|| be- | -cause • — | of • thy | judgements.

11 Walk about Sion, and go | round • a- | -bout her ||
|| and | tell • the | towers • there- | -of.

12 Mark well her bulwarks set | up • her | houses ||
|| that ye may tell | them • that | come • — | after.

13 For this God is our God for | ever • and | ever ||
|| he shall be our | guide • — | un- • -to | death.

GLORIA.

PSALM 49. *Audite hæc, omnes.*

A great lesson to be learnt.

O HEAR ye this | all • ye | people ||
|| ponder it with your ears, all ye that |
dwell • — | in • the | world ;

2 High and low | rich • and | poor ||
|| one | — • — | with • an- | -other.

3 My mouth shall | speak • of | wisdom ||
|| and my heart shall | muse • of | un- • -der- |
-standing.

4 I will incline mine ear | to • the | parable ||
|| and shew my dark | speech • up- | -on • the | harp.

The riddle of prosperity.

5 Wherefore should I fear in the | days • of |
wickedness ||
|| and when the wickedness of my heels compasseth |
me • — | round • a- | -bout ?

6 There be some that put their trust | in • their | goods ||
|| and boast themselves in the | multi- • -tude |
of • their | riches.

7 But no man may de- | -liver • his | brother ||
|| nor make agreement | un- • -to | God • for | him ;

8 For it cost **more** to re- | -deem • their | souls ||
 || so that he must **let** | that • a- | -lone • for | ever ;
 9 **Yea** though he | live • — | long ||
 || **and** | see • — | not • the | grave.
 10 For he seeth that wise men also **die** and | perish • to- |
 -gether ||
 || as well as the ignorant and **foolish** and |
 leave • their | riches • for | other.
 11 And yet they think that their **houses** shall con- |
 -tinue • for | ever ||
 || and that their dwelling-places shall endure from
 one generation to another, and call the **lands** |
 after • their | own • — | names.
 12 Nevertheless, man will **not** a- | -bide • in | honour ||
 || seeing he may be compared unto the beasts that
 perish, **this** | is • the | way • of | them.

The answer to them in the end.

13 **This** | is • their | foolishness ||
 || **and** their pos- | -teri- • -ty | praise • their | saying.
 14 They lie in the hell like sheep, death gnaweth upon
 them, and the righteous shall have domination
 over them | in • the | morning ||
 || their beauty shall **consume** in the | sepul- • -chre |
 out of • their | dwelling.
 15 But God hath delivered my **soul** from the |
 place • of | hell ||
 || **for** | he • — | shall • re- | -ceive me.
 16 Be not thou afraid, though **one** be | made • — |
 rich ||
 || or if the **glory** of his | house • — | be • in- |
 -creased ;
 17 For he shall carry nothing away with him |
 when • he | dieth ; ||
 || neither **shall** his | pomp • — | fol- • -low | him.
 18 For while he lived, he counted **himself** an |
 hap- • -py | man ||
 || and so long as thou doest well unto thyself, **men**
 will | speak • — | good • of | thee.
 19 He shall follow the generation | of • his | fathers ||
 || **and** shall | nev- • -er | see. • — | light.
 20 Man being in honour hath **no** | un- • -der- | -standing ||
 || but is **compared** | unto • the | beasts • that | perish.

GLORIA.

Morning Prayer

PSALM 50. *Deus deorum.*

The appearance of God for judgment.

THE Lord, even the most **mighty** | God • hath |
 spoken ||
 || and called the world, from the rising up of the
 sun, **unto** the | go- • -ing | down • there- | -of.
 2 Out of **Sion** hath | God • ap- | -peared ||
 || **in** | — • — | per- • -fect | beauty.
 3 Our God shall **come** and shall | not • keep | silence ||
 || there shall go before him a consuming fire, and
 a mighty **tempest** shall be | stirred • up |
 round • a- | -bout him.
 4 He shall call the **heaven** | from • a- | -bove ||
 || and the **earth** that | he • may | judge • his | people.
 5 Gather my saints together | un- • -to | me ||
 || those that have made a **covenant** | with • — |
 me • with | sacrifice.
 6 And the **heaven** shall de- | -clare • his | righteousness ||
 || **for** | God • is | Judge • him- | -self.

His sentence on the people for false worship.

7 Hear O my **people** and | I • will | speak ||
 || I myself will testify against thee O Israel, for
 I am **God** | e- • -ven | thy • — | God.
 8 I will not reprove thee because of thy sacrifices,
 or for thy | burnt- • — | -offerings ||.
 || **because** they | were • not | alway • be- | -fore me.
 9 I will take no **bullock** | out of • thine | house ||
 || **nor** | he- • -goat | out of • thy | folds.
 10 For all the **beasts** of the | forest • are | mine ||
 || and so are the **cattle** up- | -on • a | thou- • -sand |
 hills.
 11 I know all the **fwls** up- | -on • the | mountains ||
 || and the wild **beasts** of the | field • are | in • my |
 sight.
 12 If I be **hungry** I | will • not | tell thee ||
 || **for** the whole world is **mine** and | all • that |
 is • there- | -in.
 13 Thinkest thou that **I** will | eat • bulls' | flesh ||
 || **and** | drink • the | blood • of | goats?

14 Offer unto **God** | thanks- • — | -giving ||
 || and pay thy **vows** | unto • the | most • — | Highest.
 2nd part 15 And call upon **me** in the | time • of | trouble ||
 || so will I **hear** thee and | thou • shalt | praise • — |
 me.

On the unrighteous for breaking the moral law.

16 But unto the **ungodly** | said • — | God ||
 || Why dost thou preach my laws, and **takest** my |
 cove- • -nant | in • thy | mouth ;
 17 Whereas thou **hatest** to | be • re- | -formed ||
 || **and** hast | cast • my | words • be- | -hind thee ?
 18 When thou sawest a thief, thou **consentedst** |
 un- • -to | him ||
 || and hast **been** par- | -ta- • -ker | with • the ad- |
 -ulterers.
 19 Thou hast **let** thy | mouth • speak | wickedness ||
 || and with thy **tongue** thou hast | set • — |
 forth • de- | -ceit.
 20 Thou satest, and **spakest** a- | -gainst • thy | brother ||
 || yea and hast **slandered** thine | own • — |
 mo- • -ther's | son.
 21 These things hast thou done and I held my tongue,
 and thou thoughtest wickedly that I am even
such a one | as • thy- | -self ||
 || but I will reprove thee, and set **before** thee the |
 things • that | thou • hast | done.

The sum.

22 O consider this, **ye** that for- | -get • — | God ||
 || lest I pluck you away, and there be **none** |
 to • de- | -li- • -ver | you.
 23 Whoso offereth me thanks and **praise** he |
 honour- • -eth | me ||
 || and to him that ordereth his conversation **right**
 will I | shew the • sal- | -vation • of | God.

GLORIA.

PSALM 51. *Miserere mei, Deus.*

Confession and prayer for forgiveness and restoration.

HAVE mercy upon me O God, after thy |
 great • — | goodness ||
 || according to the multitude of thy mercies **do** a- |
 -way • — | mine • of- | -fences.

2 Wash me **thoroughly** | from • my | wickedness ||
 || **and** | cleanse • me | from • my | sin.

3 For I ac- | -knowledge • my | faults ||
 || **and** my | sin • is | ever • be- | -fore me.

4 Against thee only have I sinned, and done this **evil** |
 in • thy | sight ||
 || that thou mightest be justified in thy **saying** and |
 clear • when | thou • art | judged.

5 Behold I was | shapen • in | wickedness ||
 || and in **sin** hath my | mother • con- -ceiv- -ed | me.

6 But lo, thou requirest **truth** in the | in- • -ward |
 parts ||
 || and shalt make me to **under-** | -stand • — |
 wis- • -dom | secretly.

7 Thou shalt purge me with **hyssop** and I | shall • be |
 clean ||
 || thou shalt **wash** me and I | shall • be |
 whiter • than | snow.

8 Thou shalt make me **hear** of | joy • and | gladness ||
 || that the bones which **thou** hast | bro- • -ken |
 may • re- | -joice.

9 Turn thy **face** | from • my | sins ||
 || and put **out** | all • — | my • mis- | -deeds.

10 Make me a **clean** | heart • O | God ||
 || and **renew** a | right • — | spirit • with- | -in me.

11 Cast me not **away** | from • thy | presence ||
 || and **take** not thy | ho- • -ly | Spi- • -rit | from me.

12 O give me the **comfort** of thy | help • a- | -gain ||
 || and **stablish** me | with • thy | free • — | Spirit.

2nd part 13 Then shall I teach thy **ways** | unto • the | wicked ||
 || and sinners **shall** be con- | -vert- • -ed | un- • -to |
 thee.

The return of thankful service.

14 Deliver me from blood-guiltiness O God, thou that
 art the **God** | of • my | health ||
 || and my **tongue** shall | sing • — | of • thy |
 righteousness.

15 Thou shalt **open** my | lips • O | Lord ||
 || **and** my | mouth • shall | shew • thy | praise.

16 For thou desirest no sacrifice, **else** would I |
 give • it | thee ||
 || but thou **delightest** | not • in | burnt- • — |
 -offerings.

17 The sacrifice of **God** is a | trou- • -bled | spirit ||
 || a broken and contrite heart O **God** | shalt • thou |
 not • de- | -spise.

Prayer for Sion.

18 O be favourable and **gracious** | un- • -to | Sion ||
 || **build** thou the | walls • — | of • Je- | -rusalem.
 19 Then shalt thou be pleased with the sacrifice of right-
 eousness, with the burnt-offerings | and • ob- |
 -lations ||
 || then shall they **offer** young | bullocks • up- |
 -on • thine | altar.

GLORIA.

PSALM 52. *Quid gloriaris?*

Rebuke of the wicked.

1 **W**HY **boastest** thou thy- | -self • thou | tyrant ||
 || **that** | thou • canst | do • — | mischief ;
 2 Whereas the | goodness • of | God ||
 || **en- | -du- • -reth** | yet • — | daily ?
 3 Thy **tongue** i- | -magni- • -eth | wickedness ||
 || and with lies thou **cuttest** | like • a | sharp • — |
 razor.
 4 Thou hast loved **unrighteousness** | more • than |
 goodness ||
 || and to **talk** of | lies • — | more • than |
 righteousness.
 5 Thou hast loved to speak all **words** that | may • do |
 hurt ||
 || **o** | thou • — | false • — | tongue.

God's judgment.

6 Therefore shall **God destroy** | thee • for | ever ||
 || he shall take thee and pluck thee out of thy
 dwelling, and root thee **out** of the | land • — |
 of • the | living.

The awe and the trust of the righteous.

7 The righteous also shall **see** | this • and | fear ||
 || **and** shall | laugh • — | him • to | scorn ;
 8 **Lo**, this is the man that took not **God** | for • his |
 strength ||
 || but trusted unto the multitude of his riches,
 and **strength**ened him- | -self • — | in • his |
 wickedness.

9 As for me, I am like a green olive-tree in the |
house • of | God ||
|| my trust is in the tender **mercy** of | God • for |
ever • and | ever.

10 I will always give thanks unto thee for **that** |
thou • hast | done ||
|| and I will hope in thy **Name** for thy | saints • — |
like • it | well. GLORIA.

Evening Prayer

PSALM 53. *Dixit insipiens.* (Compare Ps. xiv.)

The spirit of folly.

THE foolish body hath **said** | in • his | heart ||
|| **There** | is • — | no • — | God.
2 Corrupt are they, and become abominable | in • their |
wickedness ||
|| **there** is | none • that | do- • -eth | good.
God's sentence.

3 God looked down from heaven upon the |
children • of | men ||
|| to see if there were any that would **understand**
and | seek • — | af- • -ter | God.
4 But they are all gone out of the way, they are
altogether be- | -come • ab- | -ominable ||
|| there is also none that **doeth** | good • — | no • not |
one.
5 Are not they without **understanding** that | work • — |
wickedness ||
|| eating up my people as if they would eat bread,
they **have** not | called • up- | -on • — | God.

Its issue.

6 They were **afraid** where | no • fear | was ||
|| for God hath broken the bones of him that
besieged thee, thou hast put them to confusion,
because **God** | hath • de- | -spi- • -sed | them.
7 Oh that the salvation were given unto **Israel** |
out • of | Sion ||
|| Oh that the Lord would deliver his | peo- • -ple |
out of • cap- | -tivity !
8 **Then** should | Jacob • re- | -joice ||
|| and **Israel** | should • be | right • — | glad.
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PSALM 54. *Deus, in Nomine.*

Prayer in peril.

SAVE me O **God** for thy | Name's • — | sake ||
 || and a- | -venge • me | in • thy | strength.
 2 **Hear** my | prayer • O | God ||
 || and hearken unto the | words • — | of • my |
 mouth.
 2nd part 3 For strangers are **risen** | up • a- | -against me ||
 || and tyrants which have not God before their **eyes** |
 seek • — | after • my | soul.

Confidence.

4 Behold, **God** | is • my | helper ||
 || the Lord is with **them** | that • up- | -hold • my |
 soul.
 5 He shall reward **evil** | unto • mine | enemies ||
 || **destroy** thou | them • — | in • thy | truth.

Gratitude.

6 An offering of a free heart will I give thee, and
praise thy | Name • O | Lord ||
 || **be-** | -cause • it | is • so | comfortable.
 7 For he hath delivered me **out** of | all • my | trouble ||
 || and mine eye hath **seen** his de- | -sire • up- |
 -on • mine | enemies. GLORIA.

PSALM 55. *Exaudi, Deus.*

Prayer in peril.

HEAR my | prayer • O | God ||
 || and **hide** not thy- | -self • from | my • pe- |
 -tition.
 2 Take **heed** unto | me • and | hear me ||
 || how I **mourn** in my | pray- • -er | and • am |
 vexed.
 3 The enemy crieth so, and the ungodly **cometh** |
 on • so | fast ||
 || for they are minded to do me some mischief, so
 maliciously | are • they | set • a- | -against me.
 4 My heart is **disquiet-** | -ed • with- | -in me ||
 || and the **fear** of | death • is | fallen • up- | -on me.
 5 Fearfulness and **trembling** are | come • up- | -on
 me ||
 || and an horrible **dread** hath | o- • -ver- |
 -whelm- • -ed | me.

6 And I said, O that I had **wings** | like • a | dove ||
 || for then would I **flee** a- | -way • and | be • at | rest.
 7 Lo, then would I **get** me a- | -way • far | off ||
 || **and** re- | -main • — | in • the | wilderness.
 8 I would make **haste** | to • e- | -scape ||
 || **because** of the | storm- • -y | wind • and | tempest.

Punishment invoked on treacherous enemies.

9 Destroy their tongues O **Lord** | and • di- | -vide
 them ||
 || for I have spied **unrighteousness** and | strife • — |
 in • the | city.
 10 Day and night they go about **within** the |
 walls • there- | -of ||
 || mischief also and **sorrow** are | in • the | midst • of |
 it.
 11 **Wickedness** | is • there- | -in ||
 || **deceit** and **guile** | go • not | out of • their | streets.
 12 For it is not an open enemy that hath **done** me |
 this • dis- | -honour ||
 || **for** | then • I | could • have | borne it.
 13 Neither was it mine adversary that did **magnify**
 him- | -self • a- | -against me ||
 || for then peradventure I **would** have | hid • my- |
 -self • — | from him.
 14 But it was even **thou** | my • com- | -panion ||
 || my **guide** and mine | own • fa- | -mi- • -liar |
 friend.
 15 We **took** sweet | counsel • to- | -gether ||
 || and **walked** in the | house • of | God • as | friends.
 16 Let death come hastily upon them, and let them go
 down **quick** | in- • -to | hell ||
 || for wickedness is **in** their | dwell- • -ings |
 and • a- | -mong them.

The confidence of him who trusts in God.

17 As for me, **I** will | call up- • -on | God ||
 || **and** the | Lord • — | shall • — | save me.
 18 In the evening and morning and at noon-day will
 I **pray** and | that • — | instantly ||
 || **and** | he • shall | hear • my | voice.
 19 It is he that hath delivered my soul in peace from
 the **battle** that | was • a- | -against me ||
 || **for** | there • were | ma- • -ny | with me.

20 Yea even God that endureth for ever shall **hear** me
 and | bring • them | down ||
 || for they **will** not | turn • nor | fear • — | God.

21 He laid his hands upon such as **be** at | peace • with |
 him ||
 || **and** he | brake • — | his • — | covenant.

22 The words of his mouth were softer than butter,
 having **war** | in • his | heart ||
 || his words were smoother than oil, and **yet** |
 be • they | ve- • -ry | swords.

23 O cast thy burden upon the Lord, and **he** shall |
 nour- • -ish | thee ||
 || and shall not **suffer** the | righteous • to | fall • for |
 ever.

24 **And** | as • for | them ||
 || thou O God shalt bring them **into** the | pit • — |
 of • de- | -struction.

25 The blood-thirsty and deceitful men shall not live
out | half • their | days ||
 || nevertheless, my **trust** shall | be • in | thee • O |
 Lord.

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Morning Prayer

PSALM 56. *Miserere mei, Deus.*

Prayer amidst enemies.

BE merciful unto me O God, for man goeth
 about | to • de- | -vour me ||
 || he is **daily** | fighting • and | trou- • -bling | me.

2 Mine enemies are daily in **hand** to | swallow • me |
 up ||
 || for they be many that **fight** against | me • O |
 thou • most | Highest.

Trust.

3 Nevertheless, **though** I am | some- • -time a- | -fraid ||
 || **yet** put | I • my | trust • in | thee.

4 I will praise God, **because** | of • his | word ||
 || I have put my trust in God, and will not **fear**
 what | flesh • can | do • unto | me.

Persecution.

5 They **daily** mis- | -take • my | words ||
 || all that they **imagine** | is • to | do • me | evil.

6 They hold all together and | keep them- • -selves | .
 close ||
 || and mark my steps, when they lay | wait • — |
 for • my | soul.
 7 Shall they **escape** | for • their | wickedness ||
 || thou O God in **thy** dis- | -pleasure • shalt |
 cast • them | down.
 8 Thou tellest my flittings, put my **tears** | into • thy |
 bottle ||
 || are not **these** things | no- • -ted | in • thy | book ?

Trust.

9 Whosoever I call upon thee, then shall mine
 enemies be | put • to | flight ||
 || this I know for | God • is | on • my | side.
 10 In God's word will | I • re- | -joice ||
 || in the **Lord's** word | will • I | com- • -fort | me.
 11 Yea in **God** have I | put • my | trust ||
 || I will not be **afraid** what | man • can | do • unto |
 me.

Thanksgiving for deliverance.

12 Unto thee O **God** will I | pay • my | vows ||
 || unto | thee • will | I • give | thanks.
 13 For thou hast delivered my soul from **death** and my |
 feet • from | falling ||
 || that I may walk before **God** in the | light • — |
 of • the | living.

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PSALM 57. *Miserere mei, Deus.*

Prayer in danger

BE merciful unto me O God, be merciful unto
 me, for my **soul** | trusteth • in | thee ||
 || and under the shadow of thy wings shall be my
 refuge, until this | tyranny • be | o- • -ver- | -past.
 2 I will **call** unto the | most • high | God ||
 || even unto the God that shall perform the **cause** |
 which • I | have • in | hand.
 3 **H**e shall | send • from | heaven ||
 || and save me from the reproof of **him** | that • would |
 eat • me | up.
 4 God shall send **forth** his | mercy • and | truth ||
 || my **soul** | is • a- | -mong • — | lions.

5 And I lie even among the children of **men** that are |
set • on | fire ||
|| whose teeth are spears and arrows, **and** their |
tongue • a | sharp • — | sword.
6 Set up thyself O **God** a- | -bove • the | heavens ||
|| and thy **glory** a- | -bove • — | all • the | earth.

Thanksgiving for deliverance.

7 They have laid a net for my feet, and **pressed** |
down • my | soul ||
|| they have digged a pit before me, and are fallen
into the | midst • of | it • them- | -selves.
8 My heart is fixed O **God** my | heart • is | fixed ||
|| **I** will | sing • and | give • — | praise.
9 Awake up my glory, awake | lute • and | harp ||
|| **I** myself | will • a- | -wake • right | early.
10 I will give thanks unto thee O **Lord** a- | -mong • the |
people ||
|| and I will **sing** unto | thee • a- | -mong • the |
nations.
11 For the greatness of thy mercy **reacheth** | unto • the |
heavens ||
|| **and** thy | truth • — | unto • the | clouds.
12 Set up thyself O **God** a- | -bove • the | heavens ||
|| and thy **glory** a- | -bove • — | all • the | earth.

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PSALM 58. *Si vere utique.*

Complaint against unrighteousness.

ARE your minds set upon righteousness, O ye |
con- • -gre- | -gation ||
|| and do ye judge the thing that is **right** | O • ye |
sons • of | men ?
2 Yea, ye imagine mischief in your **heart** up- |
-on • the | earth ||
|| **and** your | hands • — | deal • with | wickedness.

Character of the wicked.

3 The ungodly are froward, even **from** their |
mo- • -ther's | womb ||
|| as soon as they are born, they **go** a- | -stray • and |
speak • — | lies.

4 They are as venomous as the **poison** | of • a | serpent ||
 || even like the **deaf** | adder • that | stoppeth • her |
 ears ;
 5 Which refuseth to hear the **voice** | of • the | charmer ||
 || **charm** | he • — | never • so | wisely.

Their destruction invoked,

6 Break their teeth O God in their mouths, smite the
jaw-bones of the | lions • O | Lord ||
 || let them fall away like water that runneth apace,
 and when they shoot their **arrows** |
 let them • be | root- • -ed | out.
 7 Let them consume away like a snail, and be like
 the untimely **fruit** | of • a | woman ||
 || **and** | let them • not | see • the | sun.
 8 Or ever your **pots** be made | hot • with | thorns ||
 || so let indignation vex him, even as a | thing • — |
 that • is | raw.

for the satisfaction of the righteous.

9 The righteous shall **rejoice** when he | seeth • the |
 vengeance ||
 || he shall wash his footsteps **in** the | blood • — |
 of • the un- | -godly.
 10 So that a man shall say, Verily there is a **reward** |
 for • the | righteous ||
 || doubtless there **is** a | God • that | judgeth • the |
 earth.

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Evening Prayer

PSALM 59. *Eripe me de inimicis.*

Prayer against the malice and power of enemies.

DELIVER me from mine **enemies** | O • — |
 God ||
 || defend me from **them** that | rise • — | up • a- |
 -against me.
 2 O deliver me **from** the | wick- • -ed | doers ||
 || and **save** me | from • the | blood- • -thirsty | men.
 3 For lo, they lie **waiting** | for • my | soul ||
 || the mighty men are gathered against me, without
 any **offence** or | fault • of | me • O | Lord.

4 They run and prepare themselves with- | -out • my | fault ||
 || arise thou therefore to | help • me | and • be- | -hold.

5 Stand up O Lord God of hosts, thou God of Israel,
 to visit | all • the | heathen ||
 || and be not merciful unto them that offend |
 of • ma- | -li- • -cious | wickedness.

6 They go to and fro | in • the | evening ||
 || they grin like a dog, and run a- | -bout • — |
 through • the | city.

7 Behold they speak with their mouth, and swords
 are | in • their | lips ||
 || for | who • — | doth • — | hear ?

Trust.

8 But thou O Lord shalt have them | in • de- | -rision ||
 || and thou shalt laugh | all • the | heathen • to | scorn.

9 My strength will I ascribe | un- • -to | thee ||
 || for thou art the | God • — | of • my | refuge.

Prayer repeated in faith.

10 God sheweth me his | good- • -ness | plenteously ||
 || and God shall let me see my de- | -sire • up- | -on • mine | enemies.

11 Slay them not, lest my | people • for- | -get it ||
 || but scatter them abroad among the people, and
 put them down O | Lord • — | our • de- | -fence.

12 For the sin of their mouth and for the words of their
 lips, they shall be taken | in • their | pride ||
 || and why, their preaching | is • of | cursing • and | lies.

13 Consume them in thy wrath, consume them that |
 they • may | perish ||
 || and know that it is God that ruleth in Jacob, and
 unto the | ends • — | of • the | world.

14 And in the evening they | will • re- | -turn ||
 || grin like a dog and will | go • a- | -bout • the | city.

2nd part 15 They will run here and | there • for | meat ||
 || and grudge | if • they | be • not | satisfied.

Thanksgiving.

16 As for me, I will sing of thy power and will praise
 thy mercy **betimes** | in • the | morning ||
 || for thou hast been my defence and **refuge** in the |
 day • — | of • my | trouble.

17 Unto thee O my **strength** | will • I | sing ||
 || for thou O God art my **refuge** | and • my |
 merci- • -ful | God.

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PSALM 60. *Deus, repulisti nos.*

Desolation with the remembrance of past deliverance.

O GOD thou hast cast us out, and **scattered** |
 us • a- | -broad ||
 || thou hast also been displeased, O **turn** thee |
 un- • -to | us • a- | -gain.

2 Thou hast moved the **land** and di- | -vi- • -ded | it ||
 || heal the **sores** there- | -of • — | for • it | shaketh.

3 Thou hast shewed thy **people** | heav- • -y | things ||
 || thou hast **given** us a | drink • of | dead- • -ly |
 wine.

4 Thou hast given a **token** for | such • as | fear thee ||
 || that they may **triumph** be- | -cause • — | of • the |
 truth.

5 Therefore were **thy** be- | -loved • de- | -livered ||
 || **help** me with | thy • right | hand • and | hear me.

An ancient hymn of triumph.

6 God hath spoken in his holiness, I will **rejoice** and
 di- | -vide • — | Sichem ||
 || and **mete** | out • the | valley • of | Succoth.

7 Gilead is **mine** and Ma- | -nasses • is | mine ||
 || Ephraim also is the strength of my **head** |
 Ju- • -dah | is • my | law-giver;

8 Moab is my wash-pot, over Edom will **I cast** |
 out • my | shoe ||
 || Philistia | be • thou | glad • of | me.

Prayer in present need.

9 Who will lead me **into** the | strong • — | city ||
 || **who** will | bring • me | in- • -to | Edom ?

10 Hast not thou **cast** us | out • O | God ||
 || wilt not thou O **God** go | out • — | with • our |
 hosts ?

11 O be **thou** our | help • in | trouble ||
 || for **vain** | is • the | help • of | man.
 12 Through **God** will we | do • great | acts ||
 || for it is **he** that shall | tread • — | down • our |
 enemies. GLORIA.

PSALM 61. *Exaudi, Deus.*

Prayer for safety,

HEAR my | crying • O | God ||
 || **give** | ear • — | unto • my | prayer.
 2 From the ends of the **earth** will I | call up- • -on |
 thee ||
 || **when** my | heart • — | is • in | heaviness.
 3 O set me up upon the **rock** that is | higher • than | I ||
 || for thou hast been my hope, and a strong **tower**
 for | me • a- | -against • the | enemy.
 4 I will dwell in thy **taber- | -nacle** • for | ever ||
 || and my trust shall be **under** the | cover- • -ing |
 of • thy | wings.

resting on past help.

5 For thou O Lord hast **heard** | my • de- | -sires ||
 || and hast given an heritage **unto** | those • that |
 fear • thy | Name.
 6 Thou shalt grant the **King** a | long • — | life ||
 || that his years may **endure** throughout | all • — |
 gen- • -er- | -ations.
 7 He shall **dwell** before | God • for | ever ||
 || O prepare thy loving mercy and **faithfulness** |
 that • they | may • pre- | -serve him.
 8 So will I alway sing **praise** | unto • thy | Name ||
 || **that** I may | daily • per- | -form • my | vows.

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Morning Prayer

PSALM 62. *Nonne Deo?*

Trust in God in spite of enemies.

MY soul truly waiteth **still** up- | -on • — | God ||
 || for of **him** | com- • -eth | my • sal- | -vation.
 2 He verily is my **strength** and | my • sal- | -vation ||
 || he is my defence, **so** that I | shall • not |
 great- • -ly | fall.

3 How long will ye imagine mischief **against** |
 ev- • -ery | man ||
 || ye shall be slain all the sort of you, yea as a
 tottering wall shall ye **be** and | like • a |
 bro- • -ken | hedge.

4 Their device is only how to put him out whom **God** |
 will • ex- | -alt ||
 || their delight is in lies, they give good words with
 their **mouth** but | curse • — | with • their |
 heart.

Trust in God from experience.

5 Nevertheless my soul, wait thou **still** up- | -on • — |
 God ||
 || **for** my | hope • — | is • in | him.

6 He truly is my **strength** and | my • sal- | -vation ||
 || he is my **defence** | so that • I | shall • not | fall.

7 In God is my **health** | and • my | glory ||
 || the rock of my **might** and in | God • — | is • my |
 trust.

8 O put your **trust** in him | alway • ye | people ||
 || pour out your hearts **before** him for | God • — |
 is • our | hope.

Man's power fails before God's judgment.

9 As for the children of **men** they | are • but | vanity ||
 || the children of men are deceitful upon the weights,
 they are altogether **lighter** than | va- • -ni- |
 -ty • it- | -self.

10 O trust not in wrong and robbery, give not
yourselves | un- • -to | vanity ||
 || if riches increase, set | not • your | heart • up- |
 -on them.

11 God spake once, and twice I have **also** | heard • the |
 same ||
 || that **power** be- | -long- • -eth | un- • -to | God ;

12 And that **thou** | Lord • art | merciful ||
 || for thou rewardest **every** man ac- | -cord- • -ing |
 to • his | work.

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PSALM 63. *Deus, Deus meus.*

The soul's desire for God.

1 **O** GOD, thou | art • my | God ||
 || early | will • I | seek • — | thee.
 2 My soul thirsteth for thee, my flesh also longeth |
 af- • -ter | thee ||
 || in a barren and dry land | where • no | wa- • -ter |
 is.
 3 Thus have I looked for | thee • in | holiness ||
 || that I might be- | -hold • thy | power • and | glory.

Blessedness of fellowship with Him.

4 For thy loving-kindness is better than the | life • it- |
 -self ||
 || my | lips • — | shall • — | praise thee.
 5 As long as I live will I magnify thee | on • this |
 manner ||
 || and lift up my | hands • in | thy • — | Name.
 6 My soul shall be satisfied, even as it were with |
 marrow • and | fatness ||
 || when my mouth praiseth | thee • with | joy- • -ful |
 lips.
 7 Have I not remembered thee | in • my | bed ||
 || and thought upon thee | when • — | I • was |
 waking?
 8 Because thou hast | been • my | helper ||
 || therefore under the shadow of thy | wings • will |
 I • re- | -oice.
 9 My soul | hangeth • up- | -on thee ||
 || thy right hand | hath • up- | -hold- • -en | me.

His sure judgment.

10 These also that seek the hurt | of • my | soul ||
 || they shall | go • — | under • the | earth.
 11 Let them fall upon the edge | of • the | sword ||
 || that they may | be • a | portion • for | foxes.
 12 But the King shall rejoice in God, all they also that
 swear by him shall | be • com- | -mended ||
 || for the mouth of them that speak | lies • — |
 shall • be | stopped.

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PSALM 64. *Exaudi, Deus.*

Prayer against enemies.

HEAR my voice O **God** | in • my | prayer ||
 || preserve my **life** from | fear • — | of • the |
 enemy.

2 Hide me from the gathering together | of • the
 froward ||
 || and from the **insur**- | -rection • of | wick- • -ed
 doers ;

3 Who have whet their **tongue** | like • a | sword ||
 || and shoot out their **arrows** | e- • -ven | bit- • -ter |
 words ;

4 That they may privily shoot at **him** | that • is |
 perfect ||
 || suddenly **do** they | hit • him | and • — | fear not.

5 They **encourage** them- | -selves • in | mischief ||
 || and commune among themselves how they may
 lay snares, and **say** that | no • man | shall • — |
 see them.

6 They imagine **wickedness** and | prac- • -tise | it ||
 || that they keep secret among themselves, every
 man **in** the | deep • — | of • his | heart.

Judgment executed upon them.

7 But God shall suddenly shoot at them **with** a |
 swift • — | arrow ||
 || **that** | they • — | shall • be | wounded.

8 Yea, their own **tongues** shall | make • them | fall ||
 || insomuch that whoso **seeth** them shall |
 laugh • — | them • to | scorn.

9 And all men that see it shall say, **This** hath |
 God • — | done ||
 || for they shall **perceive** that | it • is | his • — |
 work.

10 The righteous shall rejoice in the Lord, and **put**
 his | trust • in | him ||
 || and all they that are **true** of | heart • — |
 shall • be | glad.

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Evening Prayer

PSALM 65. *Te decet hymnus.*

Thanksgiving to God for personal mercy;

1 THOU O **God** art | praised • in | Sion ||
 || and unto thee shall the **vow** be per- |
 -form- • -ed | in • Je- | -rusalem.

2 **Thou** that | hearest • the | prayer ||
 || unto | thee • shall | all • flesh | come.

3 My **misdeeds** pre- | -vail • a- | -gainst me ||
 || **O** be thou | merci- • -ful | unto • our | sins.

4 Blessed is the man whom thou choosest and re-
 ceivest | un- • -to | thee ||
 || he shall dwell in thy court, and shall be satisfied
 with the pleasures of thy house, even | of • thy |
 ho- • -ly | temple.

for His government of the world;

5 Thou shalt shew us wonderful things in thy right-
 eousness, **O God** of | our • sal- | -vation ||
 || thou that art the hope of all the ends of the
 earth, and of them that **remain** | in • the |
 broad • — | sea.

6 Who in his strength **setteth** | fast • the | mountains ||
 || **and** is | girded • a- | -bout • with | power.

7 Who stilleth the **raging** | of • the | sea ||
 || and the noise of his **waves** and the | mad- • -ness |
 of • the | people.

8 They also that dwell in the uttermost parts of the
 earth shall be **afraid** | at • thy | tokens ||
 || thou that makest the outgoings of the **morning**
 and | evening • to | praise • — | thee.

for the fruitful seasons.

9 Thou visitest the **earth** and | bless- • -est | it ||
 || **thou** | makest • it | ve- • -ry | plenteous.

10 The river of **God** is | full • of | water ||
 || thou preparest their corn, for **so** thou pro- |
 -vi- • -dest | for • the | earth.

11 Thou waterest her furrows, thou sendest rain into
 the **little** | valleys • there- | -of ||
 || thou makest it soft with the drops of **rain** and |
 blessest • the | in- • -crease | of it.

12 Thou crownest the **year** | with • thy | goodness ||
 || **and** thy | clouds • — | drop • — | fatness.
 13 They shall drop upon the **dwellings** | of • the |
 wilderness ||
 || and the little **hills** shall re- | -oice • on |
 ev- • -ery | side.
 14 The **folds** shall be | full • of | sheep ||
 || the valleys also shall stand so thick with **corn**
 that | they • shall | laugh • and | sing.

GLORIA.

PSALM 66. *Jubilate Deo.*

Call to universal praise of God;

O BE joyful in **God** | all • ye | lands ||
 || sing praises unto the honour of his Name,
make his | praise • — | to • be | glorious.
 2 Say unto God, O how wonderful **art** thou | in • thy |
 works ||
 || through the greatness of thy power shall thine
 enemies be **found** | li- • -ars | un- • -to | thee.
 3 For all the **world** shall | wor- • -ship | thee ||
 || **sing** of | thee • and | praise • thy | Name.
 for His wonders;
 4 O come hither, and **behold** the | works • of | God ||
 || how wonderful he is in his **doing** | toward • the |
 children • of | men.
 5 He turned the **sea** into | dry • — | land ||
 || so that they went through the water on foot, **there**
 did | we • re- | -oice • there- | -of.
 6 He ruleth with his power for ever, his **eyes** be- |
 -hold • the | people ||
 || and such as will not believe shall not be able |
 to • ex- | -alt • them- | -selves.

for His discipline.

7 O **praise** our | God • ye | people ||
 || and make the **voice** of his | praise • — | to • be |
 heard ;
 8 Who **holdeth** our | soul • in | life ||
 || and **suffereth** | not • our | feet • to | slip.
 9 For thou O **God** hast | pro- • -ved | us ||
 || thou also hast **tried** us | like • as | silver • is |
 tried.

10 Thou **broughtest** us | into • the | snare ||
 || and **laidest** | trouble • up- | -on • our | loins.

2nd part 11 Thou sufferedst men to **ride** | over • our | heads ||
 || we went through fire and water, and thou
 broughtest us **out** | into • a | wealth- • -y | place.

Personal acknowledgment of His goodness.

12 I will go into thine **house** | with • burnt- | -offerings ||
 || and will pay thee my **vows**, which I promised with
 my lips and spake with my **mouth** | when • I |
 was • in | trouble.

13 I will offer unto thee fat burnt-sacrifices, **with** the |
 incense • of | rams ||
 || **I** will | of- • -fer | bullocks • and | goats.

14 O come hither and hearken, all **ye** that | fear • — |
 God ||
 || and I will tell you what **he** hath | done • — |
 for • my | soul.

15 I called unto **him** | with • my | mouth ||
 || and **gave** him | prai- • -ses | with • my | tongue.

16 If I incline unto **wickedness** | with • mine | heart ||
 || **the** | Lord • — | will • not | hear me.

17 **But** | God • hath | heard me ||
 || and considered the | voice • — | of • my | prayer.

18 Praised be God who hath not **cast** | out • my |
 prayer ||
 || **nor** | turned • his | mer- • -cy | from me.

GLORIA.

PSALM 67. *Deus misereatur.*

Prayer and praise for blessings future and past.

GOD be merciful **unto** | us • and | bless us ||
 || and shew us the light of his countenance,
 and be | merci- • -ful | un- • -to | us ;

2 That thy **way** may be | known up- • -on | earth ||
 || thy **saving** | health • a- | -mong • all | nations.

3 Let the people **praise** | thee • O | God ||
 || **yea** let | all • the | peo- • -ple | praise thee.

4 O let the nations **rejoice** | and • be | glad ||
 || for thou shalt judge the folk righteously, and
 govern the | nations • up- | -on • — | earth.

5 Let the people **praise** | thee • O | God ||
 || **let** | all • the | peo- • -ple | praise thee.

6 Then shall the **earth** bring | forth • her | increase ||
 || and God, even our own **God** shall | give • — |
 us • his | blessing.

7 **God** | shall • — | bless us ||
 || and all the **ends** of the | world • shall | fear • — |
 him.

GLORIA.

Morning Prayer

PSALM 68. *Exurgat Deus.*

The praise of God the Ruler of the world.

LET God arise, and let **his** | enemies • be |
 scattered ||
 || let them **also** that | hate • him | flee • be- |
 -fore him.

2 Like as the smoke vanisheth, so shalt thou **drive** |
 them • a- | -way ||
 || and like as wax melteth at the fire, so let the
 ungodly **perish** | at • the | presence • of | God.

3 But let the righteous be **glad** and re- |
 -joice be- • -fore | God ||
 || **let** them | also • be | merry • and | joyful.

4 O sing unto God, and sing **praises** | unto • his |
 Name ||
 || magnify him that rideth upon the heavens as it
 were upon an horse, praise him in his name
JAH | and • re- | -joice • be- | -fore him.

5 He is a Father of the fatherless, and defendeth the
cause | of • the | widows ||
 || even **God** in his | ho- • -ly | ha- • -bit- | -ation.

6 He is the God that maketh men to be of one mind
 in an house, and bringeth the **prisoners** |
 out of • capt- | -ivity ||
 || but letteth the **runagates** con- | -ti- • -nue |
 in • — | scarceness.

His care for His people in the wilderness;

7 O God, when thou wentest **forth** be- | -fore • the |
 people ||
 || **when** thou | went- • -est | through • the | wilderness,

8 The earth shook, and the heavens dropped at the | presence • of | God ||

|| even as Sinai also was moved at the presence of God, who is the | God • of | Is- • -ra- | -el.

9 Thou O God sentest a gracious **rain** upon | thine • in- | -heritance ||

|| and **refreshedst** it | when • — | it • was | weary.

10 Thy congregation shall | dwell • there- | -in ||
|| for thou O God hast of thy **goodness** pre- | -par- • -ed | for • the | poor.

in the conquest of Canaan;

11 The **Lord** | gave • the | word ||

|| **great** was the | compa- • -ny | of • the | preachers.

12 Kings with their armies did **flee** and | were • dis- | -comfited ||

|| and **they** of the | household • di- | -vided • the | spoil.

13 Though ye have lien among the pots, yet shall ye be as the **wings** | of • a | dove ||

|| that is covered with **silver** wings | and • her | feathers • like | gold.

14 When the Almighty scattered **kings** | for • their | sake ||

|| **then** were they as | white • as | snow • in | Salmon.

in the entrance into Sion.

15 As the hill of Basan, **so** is | God's • — | hill ||

|| even an **high** hill | as • the | hill • of | Basan.

16 Why hop ye so ye high hills, this is God's hill, in the which it **pleaseth** | him • to | dwell ||

|| yea the **Lord** will a- | -bide • in | it • for | ever.

17 The chariots of God are twenty thousand, even | thousands • of | angels ||

|| and the Lord is among them, as **in** the | ho- • -ly | place • of | Sinai.

18 Thou art gone up on high, thou hast led captivity captive, and **received** | gifts • for | men ||

|| yea even for thine enemies, that the **Lord** | God • might | dwell • a- | -mong them.

Praise of God the Conqueror.

19 **Praised** be the | Lord • — | daily ||

|| even the God who helpeth us, and **pourereth** his | be- • -ne- | -fits • up- | -on us.

20 He is our God, even the God of whom |
 cometh • sal- | -vation ||
 || God is the **Lord** by | whom • we e- | -scape • — |
 death.

21 God shall wound the **head** | of • his | enemies ||
 || and the hairy scalp of such a one as **goeth** on |
 still • — | in • his | wickedness.

22 The Lord hath said, I will bring my people **again**
 as I | did • from | Basan ||
 || mine own will I bring again, as I did sometime
from the | deep • — | of • the | sea.

2nd part 23 That thy foot may be dipped in the **blood** |
 of • thine | enemies ||
 || and that the tongue of thy **dogs** may be | red • — |
 through • the | same.

The entrance of God into the sanctuary.

24 It is well seen O **God** | how • thou | goest ||
 || how thou my God and **King** | go- • -est | in • the |
 sanctuary.

25 The singers go before, the **minstrels** | fol- • -low |
 after ||
 || in the midst are the **damsels** | play- • -ing |
 with • the | timbrels.

26 Give thanks O Israel unto God the **Lord** in the |
 con- • -gre- | -gations ||
 || **from** the | ground • — | of • the | heart.

27 There is little Benjamin their ruler, and the **princes**
 of | Judah • their | counsel ||
 || the princes of Zabulon | and • the | princes • of |
 Nephthali.

The future glory of Israel.

28 Thy God hath sent **forth** | strength • for | thee ||
 || stablish the thing O **God** that | thou • hast |
 wrought • in | us,

29 For thy temple's **sake** | at • Je- | -rusalem ||
 || so shall **kings** bring | pre- • -sents | un- • -to | thee.

30 When the company of the spear-men, and multitude
 of the mighty are scattered abroad among the
 beasts of the people, so that they **humbly** bring |
 pieces • of | silver ||
 || and when he hath scattered the **people** | that • de- |
 -light • in | war ;

31 Then shall the princes **come** | out • of | Egypt ||
 || the Morians' land shall soon stretch **out** her |
 hands • — | un- • -to | God.

The universal dominion of God in the future.

32 Sing unto God, O ye **kingdoms** | of • the | earth ||
 || O **sing** | prai- • -ses | unto • the | Lord ;
 33 Who sitteth in the heavens over all | from • the be- |
 -ginning ||
 || lo he doth send out his voice, **yea** and | that • a |
 might- • -y | voice.

34 Ascribe ye the power to **God** over | Is- • -ra- | -el ||
 || his **worship** and | strength • is | in • the | clouds.
 35 O God, wonderful art **thou** in thy | ho- • -ly |
 places ||
 || even the God of Israel, he will give strength and
 power unto his **people** | bless- • -ed | be • — |
 God.

GLORIA.

Evening Prayer

PSALM 69. *Salvum me fac.*

A lamentation in sore distress,

SAVE | me • O | God ||
 || for the waters are come **in** | e- • -ven |
 unto • my | soul.

2 I stick fast in the deep mire, **where** no | ground • — |
 is ||
 || I am come into deep waters, **so** that the |
 floods • run | o- • -ver | me.

3 I am weary of **crying** my | throat • is | dry ||
 || my sight faileth me for **waiting** so | long • up- |
 -on • my | God.

4 They that hate me without a cause are more than
 the **hairs** | of • my | head ||
 || they that are mine enemies and **would** de- |
 -stroy • me | guiltless • are | mighty.

5 I paid them the **things** that I | nev- • -er |
 took ||
 || God thou knowest my simpleness, and my **faults** |
 are • not | hid • from | thee.

6 Let not them that trust in thee O Lord God of hosts, be ashamed | for • my | cause ||
 || let not those that seek thee be confounded through me, O Lord | God • of | Is- • -ra- | -el.

due to zeal for righteousness.

7 And why? for thy **sake** have I | suffered • re- | -proof ||
 || **shame** | — • hath | covered • my | face.
 8 I am become a **stranger** | unto • my | brethren ||
 || even an alien | unto • my | mo- • -ther's | children.
 9 For the zeal of thine house hath even | eat- • -en | me ||
 || and the rebukes of them that rebuked **thee** are | fallen • up- | -on • — | me.
 10 I wept, and **chastened** my- | -self • with | fasting ||
 || and **that** was | turned • to | my • re- | -proof.
 11 I put **on** | sack- • -cloth | also ||
 || **and** they | jested • up- | -on • — | me.
 12 They that sit in the **gate** | speak • a- | -against me ||
 || **and** the | drunkards • make | songs • up- | -on me.

Prayer in this extremity,

13 But Lord I make my **prayer** | un- • -to | thee ||
 || **in** | an • ac- | -cepta- • -ble | time.
 14 Hear me O God in the **multitude** | of • thy | mercy ||
 || even **in** the | truth • of | thy • sal- | -vation.
 15 Take me out of the **mire** | that • I | sink not ||
 || O let me be delivered from them that **hate** me
 and | out of • the | deep • — | waters.
 16 Let not the water-flood drown me, neither let the
deep | swallow • me | up ||
 || and let not the **pit** | shut • her | mouth • up- | -on
 me.
 17 Hear me O Lord, for thy **loving-** | -kindness • is |
 comfortable ||
 || turn thee unto me according to the | multi- • -tude |
 of • thy | mercies.
 18 And hide not thy face from thy servant, **for** I |
 am • in | trouble ||
 || O | haste • — | thee • and | hear me.
 19 Draw nigh unto my | soul • and | save it ||
 || O deliver me be- | -cause • of | mine • — |
 enemies.

20 Thou hast known my reproof, my **shame** and |
 my • dis- | -honour ||
 || mine **adversaries** are | all • in | thy • — | sight.

21 Thy rebuke hath broken my **heart** I am | full • of |
 heaviness ||
 || I looked for some to have pity on me, but there
 was no man, neither **found** I | any • to |
 com- • -fort | me.

22 They **gave** me | gall • to | eat ||
 || and when I was thirsty they **gave** me | vin- • -e- |
 -gar • to | drink.

and denunciation of enemies.

23 Let their table be made a snare to **take** them- |
 -selves • with- | -al ||
 || and let the things that should have been for their
 wealth be unto **them** | an • oc- | -cation • of |
 falling.

24 Let their eyes be **blinded** | that • they | see not ||
 || and **ever** | bow • thou | down • their | backs.

25 Pour out thine **indig-** | -nation • up- | -on them ||
 || and let thy **wrathful** dis- | -pleasure • take |
 hold • of | them.

26 Let their **habit-** | -ation • be | void ||
 || and **no** man to | dwell • — | in • their | tents.

27 For they persecute **him** whom | thou • hast |
 smitten ||
 || and they talk how they may **vex** | them • whom |
 thou • hast | wounded.

28 Let them fall from one **wickedness** | to • an- |
 -other ||
 || and | not • come | into • thy | righteousness.

29 Let them be wiped out of the **book** | of • the | living ||
 || and **not** be | written • a- | -mong • the | righteous.

Thanksgiving.

30 As for me, when I am **poor** | and • in | heaviness ||
 || thy **help** O | God • shall | lift • me | up.

31 I will praise the Name of **God** | with • a | song ||
 || and **magni-** | -fy it • with | thanks- • — | -giving.

32 This **also** shall | please • the | Lord ||
 || better than a **bullock** | that • hath | horns • and |
 hoofs.

33 The humble shall consider **this** | and • be | glad ||
 || seek ye after **God** | and • your | soul • shall | live.

34 For the **Lord** | heareth • the | poor ||
 || **and** de- | -spi- • -seth | not • his | prisoners.

35 Let **heaven** and | earth • — | praise him ||
 || the **sea** and | all • that | moveth • there- | -in.

36 For God will save Sion, and **build** the | cities • of |
 Judah ||
 || that men may **dwell** there and | have • it |
 in • pos- | -session.

37 The posterity also of his servants **shall** in- |
 -he- • -rit | it ||
 || and they that **love** his | Name • shall |
 dwell • there- | -in.

GLORIA.

PSALM 70. *Deus in adjutorium.*

(Compare Ps. 40. 16—21.)

Prayer in distress.

HASTE thee O **God** to de- | -li- • -ver | me ||
 || make **haste** to | help • — | me • O | Lord.

2 Let them be ashamed and confounded that **seek** |
 after • my | soul ||
 || let them be turned backward and **put** to con- |
 -fusion • that | wish • me | evil.

3 Let them for their reward be **soon** | brought • to |
 shame ||
 || that **cry** | over • me | There • — | there.

4 But let all those that seek thee be **joyful** and |
 glad • in | thee ||
 || and let all such as delight in thy salvation say
 alway The | Lord • — | be • — | praised.

5 As for me, I am **poor** | and • in | misery ||
 || **haste** thee | un- • -to | me • O | God.

6 Thou art my **helper** and | my • re- | -deemer ||
 || O **Lord** | make • no | long • — | tarrying.

GLORIA.

Morning Prayer

PSALM 71. *In te, Domine, speravi.*

Prayer of personal trust,

IN thee O Lord have I put my trust, let me never
 be **put** | to • con- | -fusion ||
 || but rid me and deliver me in thy righteousness,
 incline thine **ear** | un- • -to | me • and |
 save me.

2 Be thou my strong hold, whereunto I may |
 alway • re- | -sort ||

|| thou hast promised to help me, for thou art my
house of de- | -fence • — | and • my | castle.

3 Deliver me O my God out of the **hand** of |
 the • un- | -godly ||

|| out of the **hand** of the un- | -righteous • and |
 cru- • -el | man.

4 For thou O Lord God art the **thing** | that • I |
 long for ||

|| thou art my **hope** | e- • -ven | from • my | youth.

5 Through thee have I been holden up ever **since** |
 I • was | born ||

|| thou art he that took me out of my mother's
 womb, my **praise** | shall • be | always • of |
 thee.

in distress and persecution.

6 I am become as it were a **monster** | un- • -to |
 many ||

|| but my **sure** | trust • — | is • in | thee.

7 O let my mouth be **filled** | with • thy | praise ||
 || that I may sing of thy **glory** and | hon- • -our |
 all the • day | long.

8 Cast me not away in the | time • of | age ||

|| forsake me not **when** my | strength • — |
 fail- • -eth | me.

9 For mine enemies speak against me, and they that
 lay wait for my soul take their **counsel** to- |
 -ge- • -ther | saying ||

|| God hath forsaken him, persecute him and take
 him, for there is **none** | to • de- | -li- • -ver |
 him.

10 Go not **far** from | me • O | God ||
 || my **God** | haste • — | thee • to | help me.

Confidence.

11 Let them be confounded and perish that are a- |
 -gainst • my | soul ||
 || let them be covered with shame and **dishonour**
 that | seek • to | do • me | evil.
 12 As for me, I will **patiently** a- | -bide • — | alway ||
 || **and** will | praise • thee | more • and | more.
 13 My mouth shall daily speak of thy **righteousness**
 and • sal- | -vation ||
 || **for** I | know • no | end • there- | -of.

14 I will go forth in the **strength** of the | Lord • — |
 God ||
 || and will make **mention** | of • thy | righteous- • -ness |
 only.

15 Thou O God hast taught me from my **youth** up |
 un- • -til | now ||
 || therefore will I **tell** | of • thy | won- • -drous | works.

16 Forsake me not O God in mine old age, **when**
 I am | gray- • — | -headed ||
 || until I have shewed thy strength unto this
 generation, and thy power to all **them** that are |
 yet • — | for • to | come.

Divine discipline.

17 Thy righteousness O **God** is | ve- • -ry | high ||
 || and great things are they that thou hast done,
 O **God** | who • is | like • unto | thee ?

18 O what great troubles and adversities hast thou
 shewed me, and yet didst thou **turn** | and • re- |
 -fresh me ||
 || yea and broughtest me from the **deep** | of • the |
 earth • a- | -gain.

19 Thou hast **brought** me to | great • — | honour ||
 || and **comforted** | me • on | ev- • -ery | side.

Thanksgiving.

20 Therefore will I praise thee and thy faithfulness O
 God, playing upon an **instru-** | -ment • of |
 musick ||
 || unto thee will I sing upon the harp, O thou **Holy** |
 One • of | Is- • -ra- | -el.

21 My lips will be fain when I sing | un- • to | thee ||
 || and so will my **soul** | whom • thou | hast • de- |
 -livered.

22 My tongue also shall talk of thy **righteousness** |
 all the • day | long ||
 || for they are confounded and brought unto **shame**
 that | seek • to | do • me | evil.

GLORIA.

PSALM 72. *Deus, judicium.*

The character of the Divine Kingdom

GIVE the **King** thy | judgements • O | God ||
 || and thy **righteousness** | unto • the |
 King's • — | son.

2 Then shall he judge thy people according |
 un- • to | right ||
 || and de- | -fend • — | the • — | poor.

3 The mountains also shall | bring • — | peace ||
 || and the little **hills** | righteous- • -ness | unto • the |
 people.

4 He shall keep the simple **folk** | by • their | right ||
 || defend the children of the **poor** and | punish • the |
 wrong • — | doer.

everlasting :

5 They shall fear thee, as long as the **sun** and |
 moon • en- | -dureth ||
 || from **one** gener- | -a- • -tion | to • an- | -other.

6 He shall come down like the **rain** into a |
 fleece • of | wool ||
 || even as the | drops • that | water • the | earth.

7 In his **time** shall the | right- • -eous | flourish ||
 || yea and abundance of **peace** so | long as • the |
 moon • en- | -dureth.

universal :

8 His dominion shall be also from the **one** sea |
 to • the | other ||
 || and from the **flood** | unto • the | world's • — | end.

9 They that dwell in the **wilderness** shall | kneel • be- |
 -fore him ||
 || his en- | -emies • shall | lick • the | dust.

10 The kings of Tharsis and of the **isles** shall |
give • — | presents ||
|| the kings of **Arabia** and | Saba • shall | bring • — |
gifts.
11 All kings shall **fall** | down • be- | -fore him ||
|| **all** | nations • shall | do • him | service.

based on mercy and righteousness:

12 For he shall deliver the **poor** | when • he | crieth ||
|| the needy **also** and | him • that | hath • no | helper.
13 He shall be favourable **to** the | simple • and | needy ||
|| and shall **preserve** the | souls • — | of • the | poor.
14 He shall deliver their **souls** from | falsehood • and |
wrong ||
|| and **dear** shall their | blood • be | in • his | sight.
15 He shall live, and unto him shall be **given** of the |
gold • of A- | -rabia ||
|| prayer shall be made ever unto **him** and |
daily • shall | he • be | praised.

crowned with outward and inward blessings.

16 There shall be an heap of corn in the earth, **high**
up- | -on • the | hills ||
|| his fruit shall shake like Libanus, and shall be
green in the **city** like | grass • up- | -on • the |
earth.
17 His Name shall endure for ever, his Name shall
remain under the **sun** a- | -mong the • post- |
-erities ||
|| which shall be blessed through **him** and | all • the |
heathen • shall | praise him.
18 Blessed be the Lord God, even the **God** of |
Is- • -ra- | -el ||
|| which **only** | do- • -eth | won- • -drous | things;
19 And blessed be the Name of his **Majes-** | -ty • for |
ever ||
|| and all the earth shall be filled with his **Majesty** |
A- • -men | A- • — | -men.

GLORIA,

Evening Prayer

PSALM 73. *Quam bonus Israel!*

Trust and temptation.

TRULY God is **loving** unto | Is- • -ra- | -el ||
 || even unto **such** as | are • of a | clean • — |
 heart.

2 Nevertheless my **feet** were | al- • -most | gone ||
 || **my** | treadings • had | well- • -nigh | slipt.

The mystery of prosperous wickedness.

3 And why, I was **grieved** | at • the | wicked ||
 || I do also **see** the un- | -godly • in | such • pro- |
 -sperity.

4 For they are in **no** | peril • of | death ||
 || **but** are | lus- • -ty | and • — | strong.

5 They come in no **misfortune** like | o- • -ther | folk ||
 || neither **are** they | plagued • like | o- • -ther | men.

6 And this is the cause that they are **so** |
 holden • with | pride ||
 || **and** | o- • -ver- | -whelmed • with | cruelty.

7 Their **eyes** | swell • with | fatness ||
 || and they **do** | e- • -ven | what • they | lust.

8 They corrupt other, and **speak** of | wick- • -ed |
 blasphemy ||
 || their **talking** is a- | -gainst • the | most • — |
 High.

9 For they stretch forth their **mouth** | unto • the |
 heaven ||
 || and their **tongue** | go- • -eth | through • the |
 world.

10 Therefore fall the **people** | un- • -to | them ||
 || and thereout suck | they • no | small • ad- |
 -vantage.

11 Tush say they, **how** should | God • per- | -ceive it ||
 || is there **knowledge** | in • the | most • — | High?

12 Lo these are the ungodly, these prosper in the
 world, and these have **riches** | in • pos- |
 -session ||

|| and I said, Then have I cleansed my heart in
vain and | washed • mine | hands • in |
 innocence.

13 All the day **long** have | I • been | punished ||
 || **and** | chas- • -tened | ev- • -ery | morning.
 14 Yea and I had almost **said** | even • as | they ||
 || but lo, then I should have condemned the
 gener- | a- • -tion | of • thy | children.

The solution.

15 Then thought I to **under-** | -stand • — | this ||
 || **but** it | was • too | hard • for | me,
 16 Until I went into the **sanctuary** | of • — | God ||
 || then **understood** I the | end • of | these • — | men;
 17 Namely how thou dost **set** them in | slippe- • -ry |
 places ||
 || and castest them **down** | and • de- | -stroy- • -est |
 them.
 18 Oh how **suddenly** do | they • con- | -sume ||
 || **perish** and | come • to a | fear- • -ful | end!
 19 Yea even like as a **dream** | when • one a- | -waketh ||
 || so shalt thou make their **image** to | van- • -ish |
 out of • the | city.
 20 **Thus** my | heart • was | grieved ||
 || and it **went** | e- • -ven | through • my | reins.
 21 So **foolish** was | I • and | ignorant ||
 || even as it | were • a | beast • be- | -fore thee.

The sure trust of the righteous.

22 **Nevertheless** I am | alway • by | thee ||
 || for thou hast **holden** me | by • my | right • — | hand.
 23 Thou shalt **guide** me | with • thy | counsel ||
 || and after **that** re- | -ceive • — | me • with | glory.
 24 Whom have **I** in | heaven • but | thee ||
 || and there is none upon earth that **I** desire in
 com- | -pari- • -son | of • — | thee.
 25 My **flesh** and my | heart • — | faileth ||
 || but God is the strength of my **heart** | and • my |
 portion • for | ever.
 26 For lo, they that **forsake** | thee • shall | perish ||
 || thou hast destroyed all them that **commit** fornic- |
 -ation • a- | -gainst • — | thee.
 27 But it is good for me to hold me fast by God, to
 put my **trust** in the | Lord • — | God ||
 || and to speak of all thy works in the **gates** |
 of • the | daughter • of | Sion.

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PSALM 74. *Ut quid, Deus?*

Prayer in the desolation of Sion.

O GOD, wherefore art thou absent from us • so |
long ||
|| why is thy wrath so hot **against** the | sheep • — |
of • thy | pasture ?

2 O think upon thy | con- • -gre- | -gation ||
|| whom thou hast **purchaser** | and • re- |
-deemed • of | old.

3 Think upon the **tribe** of | thine • in- | -heritance ||
|| and mount **Sion** where- | -in • — | thou • hast |
dwelt.

4 Lift up thy feet, that thou mayest utterly **destroy** |
ev- • -ery | enemy ||
|| which hath **done** | e- • -vil | in • thy | sanctuary.

The havoc wrought by enemies.

5 Thine adversaries roar in the **midst** of thy |
con- • -gre- | -gations ||
|| and **set** | up • their | banners • for | tokens.

6 He that hewed timber afore **out** of the | thick • — |
trees ||
|| was known to **bring** it | to • an | excel- • -lent |
work.

7 But now they break down all the **carved** |
work • there- | -of ||
|| **with** | ax- • -es | and • — | hammers.

8 They have set **fire** upon thy | ho- • -ly | places ||
|| and have defiled the dwelling-place of thy
Name | e- • -ven | unto • the | ground.

9 Yea they said in their hearts, Let us make **havock**
of them | al- • -to- | -gether ||
|| thus have they burnt up all the **houses** of |
God • — | in • the | land.

10 We see not our tokens, there is not **one** |
pro- • -phet | more ||
|| no, not one is there among us, that **under-**
stand- • -eth | a- • -ny | more.

11 O God, how long shall the adversary **do** |
this • dis- | -honour ||
|| how long shall the **enemy** blas- | -pheme • thy |
Name • for | ever ?

12 Why withdrawest | thou • thy | hand ||
 || why pluckest thou not thy right hand out of thy
 bosom | to • con- | -sume • the | enemy ?

God's help of old.

13 For **God** is my | King • of | old ||
 || the help that is done upon **earth** he | do- • -eth |
 it • him- | -self.

14 Thou didst divide the **sea** | through • thy | power ||
 || thou brakest the **heads** of the | dra- • -gons |
 in • the | waters.

15 Thou smotest the heads of **Levia**. | -than • in |
 pieces ||
 || and gavest him to be **meat** for the | peo- • -ple |
 in • the | wilderness.

16 Thou broughtest out fountains and waters **out**
 of the | hard • — | rocks ||
 || **thou** | driedst • up | might- • -y | waters.

17 The day is **thine** and the | night • is | thine ||
 || thou hast prepared the | light • — | and • the | sun.

18 Thou hast set all the **borders** | of • the | earth ||
 || **thou** | hast | made • — | summer • and | winter.

Remember us, O Lord.

19 Remember this O Lord, how the **enemy** | hath • re- |
 -buked ||
 || and how the foolish **people** | hath • blas- |
 -phemed • thy | Name.

20 O deliver not the soul of thy turtle-dove unto the
multitude | of • the | enemies ||
 || and forget not the congregation | of • the |
 poor • for | ever.

21 **Look** up- | -on • the | covenant ||
 || for all the earth is full of **darkness** and | cru- • -el |
 ha- • -bit- | -ations.

22 O let not the simple **go** a- | -way • a- | -shamed ||
 || but let the poor and **needy** give | praise • — |
 unto • thy | Name.

23 Arise O God, maintain thine | own • — | cause ||
 || remember how the foolish **man** blas- | -phem- • -eth |
 thee • — | daily.

24 Forget not the **voice** | of • thine | enemies ||
 || the presumption of them that hate thee **increaseth** |
 ev- • -er | more • and | more. GLORIA.

Morning Prayer

PSALM 75. *Confitebimur tibi.*

Thanksgiving for

UNTO thee O **God** do | we • give | thanks ||
 || **yea** unto | thee • do | we • give | thanks.

2 Thy **Name** also | is • so | nigh ||
 || and **that** do thy | won- • -drous | works • de- |
 -clare.

God's sentence of judgment,

3 When I **receive** the | con- • -gre- | -gation ||
 || I shall **judge** ac- | -cord- • -ing | un- • -to | right.

4 The earth is weak, and all the **inhabit-** |
 -ers • there- | -of ||
 || **I** bear | up • the | pil- • -lars | of it.

5 I said unto the fools, **Deal** | not • so | madly ||
 || and to the **ungodly** | Set • not | up • your | horn.

6 Set not **up** your | horn • on | high ||
 || and **speak** not | with • a | stiff • — | neck.

which is executed in righteousness.

7 For promotion cometh neither from the **east** nor |
 from • the | west ||
 || **nor** | yet • — | from • the | south.

8 And **why**? | God • is the | Judge ||
 || he putteth down **one** and | set- • -teth | up • an- |
 -other.

9 For in the hand of the Lord there is a **cup** and the |
 wine • is | red ||
 || it is full mixed, **and** he | pour- • -eth | out of • the |
 same.

10 **As** for the | dregs • there- | -of ||
 || all the **ungodly** of the **earth** shall |
 drink them • and | suck • them | out.

11 But I will **talk** of the | God • of | Jacob ||
 || **and** | praise • — | him • for | ever.

12 All the horns of the **ungodly** **also** | will • I | break ||
 || and the **horns** of the | **righteous** • shall | be • ex- |
 -alted.

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PSALM 76. *Notus in Judæa.*

God the Deliverer of Israel.

1 **I**N Jewry is | God • — | known ||

|| his Name is | great • in | Is- • -ra- | -el.

2 At Salem | is • his | tabernacle ||

|| and his | dwell- • -ing | in • — | Sion.

3 There brake he the arrows | of • the | bow ||

|| the shield the | sword • — | and • the | battle.

2nd part

His victory.

4 Thou art of **more** | honour • and | might |||| **than** the | hills • — | of • the | robbers.5 The proud are robbed, **they** have | slept • their | sleep |||| and all the men whose **hands** were | mighty • have | found • — | nothing.6 At thy **rebuke** O | God • of | Jacob |||| **both** the | chariot • and | horse • are | fallen.

He is an invincible Judge,

7 Thou even **thou** art | to • be | feared |||| and who may **stand** in thy | sight • when | thou • art | angry?8 Thou didst cause thy **judgement** to be | heard • from | heaven |||| the **earth** | trem- • -bled | and • was | still.9 When **God** a- | -rose • to | judgement |||| and to **help** | all • the | meek up- • -on | earth.

to be feared of all men.

10 The fierceness of man shall **turn** | to • thy | praise |||| and the **fierceness** of | them • shalt | thou • re- | -frain.11 Promise unto the Lord your God and keep it, | all **ye** that are | round • a- | -bout him |||| bring presents unto **him** that | ought • — | to • be | feared.12 He shall **restrain** the | spirit • of | princes |||| and is wonderful **among** the | kings • — | of • the | earth.

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PSALM 77. *Voce mea ad Dominum.*

A cry of the afflicted in

I WILL cry unto **God** | with • my | voice ||
 || even unto God will I cry with my voice, and
 he shall | heark- • -en | un- • -to | me.
2 In the time of my **trouble** I | sought • the | Lord ||
 || my sore ran and ceased not in the night-**season**
 my | soul • re- | -fu- • -sed | comfort.
3 When I am in heaviness, **I** will | think up- • -on |
 God ||
 || when my **heart** is | vexed • I | will • com- | -plain.

the time of self-questioning, and

4 Thou **holdest** mine | eyes • — | waking ||
 || I am so **feeble** | that • I | can- • -not | speak.
5 I have considered the | days • of | old ||
 || **and** the | years • — | that • are | past.
6 I **call** to re- | -membrance • my | song ||
 || and in the night I commune with mine own **heart**
 and | search • — | out • my | spirits.

apparent desertion.

7 Will the Lord **absent** him- | -self • for | ever ||
 || and **will** he | be • no | more • in- | -treated ?
8 Is his mercy **clean** | gone • for | ever ||
 || and is his promise come **utterly** to an | end • for |
 ev- • -er- | -more ?
9 Hath God **forgotten** | to • be | gracious ||
 || and will he shut up his **loving-** | -kind- • -ness |
 in • dis- | -pleasure ?

Comfort in recalling God's works

10 And I said, It **is** mine | own • in- | -firmity ||
 || but I will remember the years of the right **hand** |
 of • the | most • — | Highest.
11 I will remember the **works** | of • the | Lord ||
 || and call to **mind** thy | wonders • of | old • — |
 time.
12 I will think **also** of | all • thy | works ||
 || and my **talking** shall | be • of | thy • — | doings.
13 Thy **way** O | God • is | holy ||
 || who is so **great** a | God • as | our • — | God ?

14 Thou art the **God** that | do- • -eth | wonders ||
 || and hast declared thy | power • a- | -mong • the |
 people.

15 Thou hast **mighty** de- | -livered • thy | people ||
 || even the | sons • of | Jacob • and | Joseph.
 in the Exodus.

16 The waters saw thee O **God**, the waters **saw**
 thee and | were • a- | -fraid ||
 || the **depths** | al- • -so | were • — | troubled.

17 The clouds poured out water the | air • — |
 thundered ||
 || **and** thine | ar- • -rows | went • a- | -broad.

18 The voice of thy thunder was **heard** | round • a- |
 -bout ||
 || the lightnings shone upon the ground, the **earth**
 was | moved • and | shook • with- | -al.

19 Thy way is in the sea, and thy **paths** in the |
 great • — | waters ||
 || **and** thy | foot- • -steps | are • not | known.

20 Thou **leadest** thy | people • like | sheep ||
 || **by** the | hand • of | Moses • and | Aaron.

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Evening Prayer

PSALM 78. *Attendite, popule.*

The lessons of the providential history of Israel.

HEAR my **law** | O • my | people ||
 || incline your ears unto the | words • — |
 of • my | mouth.

2 I will open my **mouth** | in • a | parable ||
 || I will **declare** hard | sen- • -ten- | -ces • of | old ;

3 **Which** we have | heard • and | known ||
 || and **such** as our | fathers • have | told • — | us ;

4 That we should not hide them from the children of
 the **gener- | -ations** • to | come ||
 || but to shew the honour of the Lord, his mighty
 and **wonderful** | works • that | he • hath | done.

5 He made a covenant with Jacob, and gave **Isra- |**
 -el • a | law ||
 || which he commanded **our** fore- | -fathers • to |
 teach • their | children ;

6 That their posteri- | -ty • might | know it ||
 || and the **children** | which • were | yet • un- | -born ;
 7 To the intent that when | they • came | up ||
 || **they** might | shew • their | children • the | same ;
 8 That they might **put** their | trust • in | God ||
 || and not to forget the works of God, **but** to |
 keep • — | his • com- | -mandments ;
 9 And not to be as their forefathers, a faithless and
stubborn | gen- • -er- | -ation ||
 || a generation that set not their heart aright, and
 whose spirit **cleaveth** not | stedfast- • -ly |
 un- • -to | God ;
 10 **Like** as the | children • of | Ephraim ||
 || who being harnessed and carrying bows, turned
 themselves **back** | in • the | day • of | battle.
 11 They kept not the **coven-** | -ant • of | God ||
 || and **would** not | walk • — | in • his | law ;
 12 But forgat what | he • had | done ||
 || and the wonderful **works** that | he • had |
 shew- • -ed | for them.

The first miracles of the Exodus.

13 Marvellous things did he in the sight of our fore-
 fathers, **in** the | land • of | Egypt ||
 || even | in • the | field • of | Zoan.
 14 He divided the sea, and **let** | them • go | through ||
 || he made the waters to | stand • — | on • an | heap.
 15 In the day-time also he **led** them | with • a | cloud ||
 || and all the night **through** | with • a | light • of |
 fire.
 16 He clave the hard **rocks** | in • the | wilderness ||
 || and gave them drink thereof, as it had **been** |
 out of • the | great • — | depth.
 17 He brought waters **out** of the | sto- • -ny | rock ||
 || so that it **gushed** | out • — | like • the | rivers.

The murmurings of the people.

18 Yet for all this they **sinned** | more • a- | -gainst
 him ||
 || and **provoked** the most | High- • -est | in • the |
 wilderness.
 19 They tempted **God** | in • their | hearts ||
 || and **required** | meat • — | for • their | lust.

20 They spake against **God** | al- • -so | saying ||
 || Shall God prepare a | ta- • -ble | in • the |
 wilderness ?

21 He smote the stony rock indeed that the water gushed
 out, and the **streams** | flowed • with- | -al ||
 || but can he give bread also, or provide | flesh • — |
 for • his | people ?

Miraculous answer to the murmuring.

22 When the Lord heard **this** | he • was | wroth ||
 || so the fire was kindled in Jacob, and there came up
 heavy displeasure a- | -against • — | Is- • -ra- | -el ;

23 Because they **believed** | not • in | God ||
 || and **put** not their | trust • — | in • his | help.

24 So he **commanded** the | clouds • a- | -bove ||
 || **and** | opened • the | doors • of | heaven.

25 He rained down manna also **upon** them | for • to | eat ||
 || **and** | gave • them | food • from | heaven.

26 So **man** did eat | an- • -gels' | food ||
 || **for** he | sent • them | meat • e- | -nough.

27 He caused the east-wind to **blow** | un- • -der |
 heaven ||
 || and through his power he **brought** | in • the |
 south- • -west- | -wind.

28 He rained flesh **upon** them as | thick • as | dust ||
 || and feathered fowls **like** as the | sand • — |
 of • the | sea.

29 He let it **fall** a- | -mong • their | tents ||
 || even **round** a- | -bout • their | ha- • -bit- | -ation.

30 So they did eat and were well filled, for he **gave**
 them their | own • de- | -sire ||
 || they were **not** disap- | -point- • -ed | of • their | lust.

31 But while the meat was yet in their mouths, the
 heavy wrath of God came upon them, and **slew**
 the | wealth- • -iest | of them ||
 || yea and smote down the chosen **men** that |
 were • in | Is- • -ra- | -el.

Vicissitudes of judgment and faith.

32 But for all **this** they | sinned • yet | more ||
 || and **believed** | not • his | won- • -drous | works.

33 Therefore their **days** did he con- | -sume • in |
 vanity ||
 || **and** their | years • — | in • — | trouble.

34 When he **slew** them they | sought • — | him ||
 || and turned them early, **and** in- | -quir- • -ed |
 af- • -ter | God.

35 And they remembered that **God** | was • their |
 strength ||
 || and that the **high** | God • was | their • re- |
 -deemer.

36 Nevertheless, they did but **flatter** him | with • their |
 mouth ||
 || and **dissemble** | with • him | in • their | tongue.

37 For their **heart** was not | whole • with | him ||
 || neither continued they | sted- • -fast | in • his |
 covenant.

38 But he was so merciful, that he **forgave** |
 their • mis- | -deeds ||
 || **and** de- | -stroy- • -ed | them • — | not.

39 Yea many a time **turned** he his | wrath • a- |
 -way ||
 || and would not suffer his **whole** dis- | -plea- • -sure |
 to • a- | -rise.

40 For he **considered** that they | were • but | flesh ||
 || and that they were even a wind that passeth
 away and | com- • -eth | not • a- | -gain.

41 Many a time did they **provoke** him | in • the |
 wilderness ||
 || **and** | grieved • him | in • the | desert.

42 They turned **back** and | tempt- • -ed | God ||
 || and moved the **Holy** | One • in | Is- • -ra- | -el.

43 They **thought** not | of • his | hand ||
 || and of the day when he delivered them **from** the |
 hand • — | of • the | enemy;

44 How he had wrought his **miracles** | in • — |
 Egypt ||
 || and his **wonders** | in • the | field • of | Zoan.

Retrospect of the divine guidance from Egypt to Canaan.

45 He turned their **waters** | in- • -to | blood ||
 || so that they **might** not | drink • — | of • the |
 rivers.

46 He sent lice among them, **and** de- | -voured • them |
 up ||
 || **and** | frogs • — | to • de- | -stroy them.

47 He gave their **fruit** | unto • the | caterpillar ||
 || **and** their | la- • -bour | unto • the | grasshopper.

48 He destroyed their | vines • with | hailstones ||
 || and their **mulberry**- | -trees • — | with • the | frost.
 49 He smote their **cattle** | also • with | hailstones ||
 || and their | flocks • with | hot • — | thunderbolts.
 50 He cast upon them the furiousness of his wrath,
 anger dis- | -pleasure • and | trouble ||
 || and **sent** | e- • -vil | angels • a- | -mong them.
 51 He made a way to his indignation, and **spared**
 not their | soul • from | death ||
 || but gave their **life** | o- • -ver | to • the | pestilence;
 52 And smote **all** the | firstborn • in | Egypt ||
 || the most principal and **mightiest** | in • the |
 dwellings • of | Ham.

53 But as for his own people, he **led** them | forth • like |
 sheep ||
 || and carried them **in** the | wilder- • -ness | like • a |
 flock.
 54 He brought them out **safely** that they | should • not |
 fear ||
 || and **overwhelmed** their | en- • -emies | with • the |
 sea.
 55 And brought them within the **borders** | of • his |
 sanctuary ||
 || even to his mountain which he **purchased** |
 with • his | right • — | hand.
 56 He cast out the **heathen** | also • be- | -fore them ||
 || caused their land to be divided among them for
 an **heritage**, and made the tribes of **Israel** to |
 dwell • in | their • — | tents.

Apostacy in Canaan,

57 So they tempted and **displeased** the | most • high |
 God ||
 || **and** | kept • — | not • his | testimonies;
 58 But turned their backs, and fell **away** | like • their |
 forefathers ||
 || starting **aside** | like • a | bro- • -ken | bow.
 59 For they grieved him **with** their | hill- • — | -altars ||
 || and provoked him **to** dis- | -plea- • -sure |
 with • their | images.

followed by severer chastisements.

60 When God heard **this** | he • was | wroth ||
 || and took **sore** dis- | -pleasure • at | Is- • -ra- | -el.

61 So that he forsook the tabern- | -acle • in | Silo ||
 || even the **tent** that he had | pitched • a- |
 -mong • — | men.

62 He delivered their **power** | into • capt- | -ivity ||
 || and their **beauty** | into • the | en- • -emy's |
 hand.

63 He gave his people over also | unto • the | sword ||
 || **and** was | wroth • with | his • in- | -heritance.

64 The fire consumed their | young • — | men ||
 || and their **maidens** | were • not | given • to |
 marriage.

65 Their priests were **slain** | with • the | sword ||
 || and there were no **widows** to | make • — |
 la- • -ment- | -ation.

God's righteous judgment and abiding kingdom.

66 So the Lord awaked as **one** | out • of | sleep ||
 || and **like** a | giant • re- | -fresed • with | wine.

67 He smote his enemies **in** the | hind- • -er | parts ||
 || and **put** them | to a • per- | -pet- • -ual | shame.

68 He refused the tabern- | -acle • of | Joseph ||
 || and **chose** | not • the | tribe • of | Ephraim;

69 But **chose** the | tribe • of | Judah ||
 || even the **hill** of | Si- • -on | which • he | loved.

70 And there he **built** his | temple • on | high ||
 || and laid the foundation of it like the **ground**
 which | he • hath | made • con- | -tinually.

71 He chose **David** | also • his | servant ||
 || and **took** him a- | -way • — | from • the |
 sheep-folds.

72 As he was following the **ewes** great with |
 young ones • he | took him ||
 || that he might feed Jacob his **people** and |
 Isra- • -el | his • in- | -heritance.

73 So he fed them with a **faithful** and | true • — |
 heart ||
 || and **ruled** them | prudently • with | all • his |
 power.

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Morning Prayer

PSALM 79. *Deus, venerunt.*

The desolation of Jerusalem.

O GOD, the heathen are **come** into | thine • in- |
-heritance ||
|| thy holy temple have they defiled, and made
Jerusa- | -lem • an | heap • of | stones.
2 The dead bodies of thy servants have they given to
be meat unto the **fowls** | of • the | air ||
|| and the flesh of thy saints **unto** the | beasts • — |
of • the | land.
3 Their blood have they shed like water on every **side** |
of • Je- | -rusalem ||
|| **and** there was | no man • to | bu- • -ry | them.
4 We are become an open **shame** | to • our | enemies ||
|| a very scorn and derision unto **them** | that • are |
round • a- | -bout us.

Prayer for deliverance and retribution.

5 Lord, how **long** wilt | thou • be | angry ||
|| shall thy **jealousy** | burn • like | fire • for | ever ?
6 Pour out thine indignation upon the **heathen** that |
have • not | known thee ||
|| and upon the kingdoms that **have** not |
called • up- | -on • thy | Name.
7 For **they** have de- | -vour- • -ed | Jacob ||
|| and **laid** | waste • his | dwell- • -ing- | -place.
8 O remember not our old sins, but have mercy
upon us and | that • — | soon ||
|| **for** we are | come • to | great • — | misery.
9 Help us O God of our salvation, for the **glory** |
of • thy | Name ||
|| O deliver us, and be merciful unto our **sins** |
for • thy | Name's • — | sake.
10 **Wherefore** do the | hea- • -then | say ||
|| **Where** | is • — | now • their | God ?
11 O let the vengeance of thy servants' **blood** |
that • is | shed ||
|| be openly shewed **upon** the | hea- • -then | in • our |
sight.

12 O let the sorrowful sighing of the prisoners |
 come • be- | -fore thee ||
 || according to the greatness of thy power, preserve
 thou **those** that | are • ap- | -pointed • to | die.
 13 And for the blasphemy wherewith our neighbours
have blas- | -phem- • -ed | thee ||
 || reward thou them O **Lord** | seven- • -fold |
 into • their | bosom.
 14 So we that are thy people and sheep of thy pasture,
 shall **give** thee | thanks • for | ever ||
 || and will alway be shewing forth thy praise from
 gener- | -ation • to | gen- • -er- | -ation.

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PSALM 80. *Qui regis Israel.*

Invocation of the God of Israel,

HEAR O thou Shepherd of Israel, thou that
 leadest **Joseph** | like • a | sheep ||
 || shew thyself also, **thou** that | sittest • up- |
 -on • the | cherubims.
 2 Before Ephraim, **Benjamin** | and • Ma- | -nasses ||
 || stir up thy | strength • and | come • and | help us.
 3 **Turn** us a- | -gain • O | God ||
 || shew the light of thy **countenance** | and • we |
 shall • be | whole.

in sore distress.

4 O **Lord** | God • of | hosts ||
 || how long wilt thou be **angry** | with • thy |
 people • that | prayeth ?
 5 Thou feedest them **with** the | bread • of | tears ||
 || and givest them **plenteous-** | -ness • of | tears • to |
 drink.
 6 Thou hast made us a very **strife** | unto • our |
 neighbours ||
 || and our **enemies** | laugh • — | us • to | scorn.
 7 Turn us **again** thou | God • of | hosts ||
 || shew the light of thy **countenance** | and • we |
 shall • be | whole.

The history of Israel in a figure.

8 Thou hast brought a **vine** | out • of | Egypt ||
 || thou hast cast **out** the | heathen • and |
 plant- • -ed | it.

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9 Thou **madest** | room • for | it ||
 || and when it had **taken** | root • it | filled • the |
 land.

10 The hills were covered **with** the | sha- • -dow |
 of it ||
 || and the boughs **thereof** were | like • the |
 good- • -ly | cedar-trees.

11 She stretched out her **branches** | unto • the | sea ||
 || **and** her | boughs • — | unto • the | river.

12 Why hast thou then **broken** | down • her | hedge ||
 || that all **they** that go | by • pluck | off • her |
 grapes ?

13 The wild boar out of the **wood** doth | root • it | up ||
 || and the wild **beasts** | of • the | field • de- | -vour it.

14 Turn thee again thou God of hosts, **look** |
 down • from | heaven ||
 || **be-** | -hold • and | visit • this | vine ;

15 And the place of the vineyard that **thy** right |
 hand • hath | planted ||
 || and the branch that thou **madest** so | strong • — |
 for • thy- | -self.

16 It is burnt with **fire** and | cut • — | down ||
 || and they shall **perish** at the re- | -buke • — |
 of • thy | countenance.

17 Let thine hand be upon the **man** of | thy • right |
 hand ||
 || and upon the son of man, whom thou **madest** so |
 strong • for | thine • own | self.

18 And so will not **we** go | back • from | thee ||
 || O let us live, and **we** shall | call • up- | -on • thy |
 Name.

19 Turn us again, O **Lord** | God • of | hosts ||
 || shew the light of thy **countenance** | and • we |
 shall • be | whole.

GLORIA.

PSALM 81. *Exultate Deo.*

A call to keep festival.

SING we merrily **unto** | God • our | strength ||
 || make a cheerful **noise** | unto • the |
 God • of | Jacob.

2 Take the **psalm** bring | hither • the | tabret ||
 || the **merry** | harp • — | with • the | lute.
 3 Blow up the **trumpet** in the | new • — | moon ||
 || even in the time appointed, **and** up- | -on • our |
 so- • -lemn | feast-day.
 4 For this was made a **statute** for | Is- • -ra- | -el ||
 || and a **law** | of • the | God • of | Jacob.
 5 This he ordained in **Joseph** | for • a | testimony ||
 || when he came out of the land of Egypt, **and** had |
 heard • a | strange • — | language.

God's pleading with His people.

6 I eased his **shoulder** | from • the | burden ||
 || and his **hands** were de- | -livered • from |
 making • the | pots.

His discipline.

7 Thou calledst upon me in troubles, and **I** de- |
 -li- • -vered | thee ||
 || and heard thee what **time** as the | storm • — |
 fell • up- | -on thee.
 8 **I** | proved • thee | also ||
 || **at** the | wa- • -ters | of • — | strife.

His covenant.

9 Hear O my people, and I will **assure** thee O |
 Is- • -ra- | -el ||
 || **if** thou wilt | heark- • -en | un- • -to | me,
 10 There shall no strange **god** | be • in | thee ||
 || neither shalt thou **worship** | a- • -ny | o- • -ther |
 god.
 11 I am the Lord thy God, who brought thee **out** of
 the | land • of | Egypt ||
 || open thy **mouth** | wide • and | I • shall | fill it.

The people's disobedience

12 But my people **would** not | hear • my | voice ||
 || and **Israel** | would • — | not • o- | -bey me.
 13 So I gave them up **unto** their | own • hearts' | lusts ||
 || and let them **follow** their | own • i- | -ma- • -gin- |
 -ations.

contrasted with God's purpose.

14 O that my people would have **hearkened** | un- • -to |
 me ||
 || for if **Israel** had | walk- • -ed | in • my | ways,

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15 I should **soon** have put | down • their | enemies ||
 || and **turned** my | hand • a- | -gainst • their |
 adversaries.

16 The haters of the Lord **should** have been |
 found • — | liars ||
 || but **their** time | should • have en- | -dured • for |
 ever.

17 He should have fed them **also** with the | fi- • -nest |
 wheat-flour ||
 || and with honey out of the stony **rock** should |
 I • have | satis- • -fied | thee. **GLORIA.**

Evening Prayer

PSALM 82. *Deus stetit.*

The coming of God to judgment.

GOD standeth in the **congre-** | -gation • of |
 princes ||
 || **he** is a | Judge • a- | -mong • — | gods.

His sentence.

2 How long will ye **give** | wrong • — | judgement ||
 || and **accept** the | per- • -sons | of • the un- | -godly ?

3 **Defend** the | poor • and | fatherless ||
 || see that such as are in **need** and ne- |
 -cessi- • -ty | have • — | right.

4 **Deliver** the | out-cast • and | poor ||
 || save them **from** the | hand • of | the • un- | -godly.

5 They will not be learned nor understand, but
 walk on | still • in | darkness ||
 || all the foundations of the | earth • are | out • of |
 course.

6 I have **said** | Ye • are | gods ||
 || and ye are all the **children** | of • the | most • — |
 Highest.

7 **But** ye shall | die • like | men ||
 || and | fall • like | one of • the | princes.

Prayer to God as Judge.

8 Arise O God, and **judge** | thou • the | earth ||
 || for thou shalt **take** all | heathen • to | thine • in- |
 -heritance. **GLORIA.**

PSALM 83. *Deus, quis similis?*

The confederacy of the nations against Israel.

HOLD not thy tongue O God, **keep** | not • still |
 silence ||
 || **refrain** | not • thy- | -self • O | God.
 2 For lo, thine **enemies** | make • a | murmuring ||
 || and they that **hate** thee have | lift • — |
 up • their | head.
 3 They have imagined **craftily** a- | -gainst • thy |
 people ||
 || and taken **counsel** a- | -gainst • thy | se- • -cret | ones.
 4 They have said, Come and let us root them out,
 that they **be** no | more • a | people ||
 || and that the name of Israel may **be** no |
 more • — | in • re- | -membrance.
 5 For they have cast their heads together with |
 one • con- | -sent ||
 || and **are** con- | -fe- • -der- | -ate a- | -gainst thee;
 6 The tabernacles of the **Edomites** | and • the |
 Ismaelites ||
 || **the** | Mo- • -ab- | -ites • and | Hagarens ;
 7 **Gebal** and | Ammon • and | Amalek ||
 || the **Philistines** with | them • that | dwell • at | Tyre.
 8 Assur also is | join- • -ed | with them ||
 || **and** have | holpen • the | children • of | Lot.

Prayer for their overthrow.

9 But do thou to **them** as | unto • the | Madianites ||
 || unto Sisera and unto **Jabin** | at • the | brook • of |
 Kison ;
 10 **Who** | perished • at | Endor ||
 || and **became** as the | dung • — | of • the | earth.
 11 Make them and their **princes** like | Oreb • and | Zeb ||
 || yea, make all their princes **like** as | Ze- • -ba |
 and • Sal- | -mana ;
 12 Who say, Let us **take** | to • our- | -selves ||
 || the **houses** of | God • — | in • pos- | -session.
 13 O my God, make them **like** | unto • a | wheel ||
 || and **as** the | stubble • be- | -fore • the | wind ;
 14 Like as the fire that **burneth** | up • the | wood ||
 || and as the **flame** | that • con- | -sumeth • the |
 mountains.

15 Persecute them even **so** | with • thy | tempest ||
 || and **make** them a- | -afraid • — | with • thy |
 storm.

16 Make their **faces** a- | -shamed • O | Lord ||
 || **that** | they • may | seek • thy | Name.

17 Let them be confounded and **vexed** ever |
 more • and | more ||
 || **let** them be | put • to | shame • and | perish.

18 And they shall know that thou whose **Name** |
 is • Je- | -hovah ||
 || art only the most **Highest** | o- • -ver | all • the |
 earth. GLORIA.

PSALM 84. *Quam dilecta!*

Blessedness of those whose house is the house of God :

O HOW amiable | are • thy | dwellings ||
 || **thou** | Lord • — | of • — | hosts !

2 My soul hath a desire and longing to enter into
 the **courts** | of • the | Lord ||
 || my heart and my flesh **rejoice** | in • the |
 liv- • -ing | God.

3 Yea the sparrow hath found her an house, and the
 swallow a nest **where** she may | lay • her |
 young ||
 || even thy altars O Lord of **hosts** my | King • — |
 and • my | God.

4 Blessed are they that **dwell** | in • thy | house ||
 || **they** will be | al- • -way | prai- • -sing | thee.

who journey Sionwards.

5 Blessed is the man whose **strength** | is • in | thee ||
 || **in** whose | heart • are | thy • — | ways.

6 Who going through the vale of misery **use** it |
 for • a | well ||
 || **and** the | pools • are | filled • with | water.

7 They will **go** from | strength • to | strength ||
 || and unto the God of gods appeareth **every** |
 one • of | them • in | Sion.

8 O Lord God of **hosts** | hear • my | prayer ||
 || **hearken** | O • — | God • of | Jacob.

Rest in the Divine Presence.

9 Behold O **God** | our • de- | -fender ||
 || and look upon the | face • of | thine • An- | -ointed.

10 For **one** day in | thy • — | courts ||
 || **is** | bet- • -ter | than • a | thousand.

11 I had rather be a door-keeper in the **house** |
 of • my | God ||
 || than to **dwell** in the | tents • — | of • un- |
 -godliness.

12 For the Lord God is a **light** | and • de- | -fence ||
 || the Lord will give grace and worship, and no
 good thing shall he withhold from **them** that |
 live • a | god- • -ly | life.

13 O **Lord** | God • of | hosts ||
 || blessed is the **man** that | putteth • his |
 trust • in | thee.

GLORIA.

PSALM 85. *Benedixisti, Domine.*

Thanksgiving for restoration from captivity.

LORD, thou art become **gracious** | unto • thy |
 land ||
 || thou hast turned **away** the capt- | -iv- • -i- |
 -ty • of | Jacob.

2 Thou hast forgiven the **offence** | of • thy | people ||
 || **and** | co- • -vered | all • their | sins.

3 Thou hast taken **away** all | thy • dis- | -pleasure ||
 || and turned thyself **from** thy | wrath- • -ful |
 in- • -dig- | -nation. .

The people's prayer for fresh deliverance.

4 **Turn** us then O | God • our | Saviour ||
 || and **let** thine | an- • -ger | cease • — | from us.

5 Wilt thou be **displeased** at | us • for | ever ||
 || and wilt thou stretch out thy wrath from **one**
 gener- | -a- • -tion | to • an- | -other ?

6 Wilt thou not turn **again** and | quick- • -en | us ||
 || that thy **people** | may • re- | -joice • in | thee ?

7 **Shew** us thy | mercy • O | Lord ||
 || **and** | grant • us | thy • sal- | -vation.

The voice of divine promise.

8 I will hearken what the Lord God will **say** con- |
 -cern- • -ing | me ||
 || for he shall speak peace unto his people and to
 his **saints** that they | turn • — | not • a- | -gain.

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9 For his salvation is **nigh** | them • that | fear him ||
 || that **glory** may | dwell • — | in • our | land.

10 Mercy and **truth** are | met • to- | -gether ||
 || **righteousness** and | peace • have | kissed • each | other.

11 Truth shall **flourish** | out of • the | earth ||
 || and **righteousness** hath | look- • -ed | down • from | heaven.

12 Yea the Lord shall **shew** | lov- • -ing- | -kindness ||
 || **and** our | land • shall | give • her | increase.

13 **Righteousness** shall | go • be- | -fore him ||
 || and he shall **direct** his | go- • -ing | in • the | way.

GLORIA.

Morning Prayer

PSALM 86. *Inclina, Domine.*

Prayer for help in distress,

BOW down thine **ear** O | Lord • and | hear me ||
 || for **I** am | poor • — | and • in | misery.

2 Preserve thou my **soul** for | I • am | holy ||
 || my God, save thy **servant** that | putteth • his | trust • in | thee.

3 Be merciful **unto** | me • O | Lord ||
 || for **I** will | call • — | daily • up- | -on thee.

4 Comfort the **soul** | of • thy | servant ||
 || for unto thee O **Lord** do I | lift • — | up • my | soul.

5 For thou **Lord** art | good • and | gracious ||
 || and of great mercy unto **all** | them • that | call • up- | -on thee.

6 Give ear **Lord** | unto • my | prayer ||
 || and ponder the **voice** | of • my | humble • de- | -sires.

7 In the time of my trouble **I** will | call up- • -on | thee ||
 || **for** | thou • — | hear- • -est | me.

resting on the confession of God's greatness,

8 Among the gods there is none **like** unto | thee • O |
 || **Lord** ||
 || there is not **one** that can | do • as | thou • — |
 || doest.

9 All nations whom thou hast made shall come and worship | thee • O | Lord ||
 || and shall | glo- • -ri- | -fy • thy | Name.

10 For thou art great, and doest | won- • -drous | things ||
 || thou | — • art | God • a- | -lone.

11 Teach me thy way O Lord, and I will walk | in • thy | truth ||
 || O knit my heart unto thee that | I • may | fear • thy | Name.

12 I will thank thee O Lord my God with | all • my | heart ||
 || and will praise thy | Name • for | ev- • -er- | -more.

13 For great is thy | mer- • -cy | toward me ||
 || and thou hast delivered my soul | from • the | nether- • -most | hell.

which is challenged by the ungodly.

14 O God, the proud are | risen • a- | -against me ||
 || and the congregations of naughty men have sought after my soul, and have not set | thee • be- | -fore • their | eyes.

15 But thou O Lord God, art full of compassion • and | mercy ||
 || long-suffering | plenteous • in | goodness • and | truth.

16 O turn thee then unto me and have | mercy • up- | -on me ||
 || give thy strength unto thy servant, and help the | son • — | of • thine | handmaid.

17 Shew some token upon me for good, that they who hate me may see it and | be • a- | -shamed ||
 || because thou Lord, hast holpen | me • and | comfort- • -ed | me.

GLORIA.

PSALM 87. *Fundamenta ejus.*

The glory of Sion,

HER foundations are upon the | ho- • -ly | hills ||
 || the Lord loveth the gates of Sion more than | all • the | dwellings • of | Jacob.

2 Very excellent things are | spoken • of | thee ||
 || thou | ci- • -ty | of • — | God.

which shall number the nations among her citizens,

3 I will **think** upon | Rahab • and | Babylon ||
 || **with** | them • that | know • — | me.
 4 **Behold** ye the | Philis- • -tines | also ||
 || and they of Tyre with the Morians, **lo** | there • — |
 was • he | born.
 5 And of Sion it shall be reported that **he** was |
 born • in | her ||
 || and the **most** | High • shall | stab- • -lish | her.
 6 The Lord shall rehearse it when he **writeth** |
 up • the | people ||
 || **that** | he • was | born • — | there.
 in holy joy.

7 The singers also and **trumpeters** shall | he • re- |
 -hearse ||
 || **All** my fresh | springs • shall | be • in | thee.

GLORIA.

PSALM 88. *Domine Deus.*

The lament of one who finds no relief or light in affliction.

O LORD God of my salvation, I have cried **day**
 and | night • be- | -fore thee ||
 || O let my prayer enter into thy presence, **incline**
 thine | ear • — | unto • my | calling.
 2 For my **soul** is | full • of | trouble ||
 || and my **life** draweth | nigh • — | un- • -to | hell.
 3 I am counted as one of them that go **down** |
 into • the | pit ||
 || and I have been even as a | man • that |
 hath • no | strength.
 4 Free among the dead, like unto them that are
 wounded and **lie** | in • the | grave ||
 || who are out of remembrance, and are **cut a-** |
 -way • — | from • thy | hand.
 5 Thou hast **laid** me in the | low- • -est | pit ||
 || in a **place** of | darkness • and | in • the | deep.
 6 Thine indignation **lieth** | hard • up- | -on me ||
 || and thou hast **vexed** | me • with | all • thy | storms.
 7 Thou hast put away mine **acquaintance** | far • from |
 me ||
 || and **made** me to | be • ab- | -hor- • -red | of them.

8 I am **so** | fast • in | prison ||
 || **that** I | can- • -not | get • — | forth.

9 My sight **faileth** for | ve- • -ry | trouble ||
 || Lord I have called daily upon thee, I have
 stretched **forth** my | hands • — | un- • -to | thee.

10 Dost thou shew **wonders** a- | -mong • the | dead ||
 || or shall the **dead** rise | up • a- | -gain • and |
 praise thee?

11 Shall thy loving-kindness be **shewed** | in • the | grave ||
 || **or** thy | faithful- • -ness | in • de- | -struction?

12 Shall thy wondrous works be **known** | in • the | dark ||
 || and thy righteousness in the **land** where |
 all • things | are • for- | -gotten?

13 Unto **thee** have I | cried • O | Lord ||
 || and **early** shall my | pray- • -er | come • be- |
 -fore thee.

14 Lord, why **abhorrest** | thou • my | soul ||
 || and **hides** | thou • thy | face • — | from me?

15 I am in misery, and like unto him that is **at** the |
 point • to | die ||
 || even from my youth up thy terrors have
 I **suffered** | with • a | trou- • -bled | mind.

16 Thy wrathful displeasure **goeth** | o- • -ver | me ||
 || and the **fear** of | thee • — | hath • un- | -done me.

17 They came round **about** me | daily • like | water ||
 || and **compassed** me to- | -gether • on | ev- • -ery |
 side.

18 My lovers and friends hast thou **put** a- | -way • from |
 me ||
 || and **hid** mine ac- | -quaint- • -ance | out of • my |
 sight.

GLORIA.

Evening Prayer

PSALM 89. *Misericordias Domini.*

The faithfulness of God.

MY song shall be alway of the loving-kindness |
 of • the | Lord ||
 || with my mouth will I ever be shewing thy truth
 from **one** gener- | -a- • -tion | to • an- | -other.

2 For I have said, Mercy shall be **set** | up • for | ever ||
 || thy **truth** shalt thou | stab- • -lish | in • the |
 heavens.

His covenant.

3 I have made a covenant | with • my | chosen ||
 || I have sworn | un- • -to | David • my | servant;
 4 Thy seed will I | stablish • for | ever ||
 || and set up thy throne from one gener- |
 -a- • -tion | to • an- | -other.

The greatness of God

5 O Lord, the very heavens shall praise thy |
 won- • -drous | works ||
 || and thy truth in the congre- | -ga- • -tion |
 of • the | saints.

6 For who is he a- | -mong • the | clouds ||
 || that shall be com- | -pa- • -red | unto • the | Lord?
 7 And what is he a- | -mong • the | gods ||
 || that shall be | like • — | unto • the | Lord?
 8 God is very greatly to be feared in the council |
 of • the | saints ||
 || and to be had in reverence of all them |
 that • are | round • a- | -bout him.

as Conqueror, Creator, Ruler.

9 O Lord God of hosts, who is like | un- • -to | thee ||
 || thy truth most mighty Lord | is • on | ev- • -ery |
 side. .

10 Thou rulest the raging | of • the | sea ||
 || thou stillest the waves there- | -of • when |
 they • a- | -rise.

11 Thou hast subdued Egypt, and de- | -stroy- • -ed | it ||
 || thou hast scattered thine enemies abroad |
 with • thy | might- • -y | arm.

12 The heavens are thine, the earth | also • is | thine ||
 || thou hast laid the foundation of the round |
 world and | all • that | there- • -in | is.

13 Thou hast made the north | and • the | south ||
 || Tabor and Hermon shall re- | -joice • — |
 in • thy | Name.

14 Thou hast a | might- • -y | arm ||
 || strong is thy hand and | high • is | thy • right |
 hand.

15 Righteousness and equity are the habitation |
 of • thy | seat ||
 || mercy and truth shall | go • be- | -fore • thy | face.

16 Blessed is the people O **Lord** that can re- |
 -joice • in | thee ||
 || they shall **walk** in the | light • — | of • thy |
 countenance.

17 Their delight shall be **daily** | in • thy | Name ||
 || and in thy **righteousness** | shall • they |
 make • their | boast.

18 For thou art the **glory** | of • their | strength ||
 || and in thy loving-kindness **thou** shalt | lift • — |
 up • our | horns.

19 For the **Lord** is | our • de- | -fence ||
 || the **Holy** One of | Isra- • -el | is • our | King.

The promise to David

20 Thou spakest sometime in visions **unto** thy |
 saints • and | saidst ||
 || I have laid help upon one that is mighty, I have
 exalted one | chos- • -en | out of • the | people.

21 I have **found** | David • my | servant ||
 || with my holy **oil** have | I • an- | -oint- • -ed | him.

22 My **hand** shall | hold • him | fast ||
 || **and** my | arm • shall | strength- • -en | him.

23 The enemy shall not be **able** to | do • him | violence ||
 || the **son** of | wicked- • -ness | shall • not | hurt him.

24 I will smite down his **foes** be- | -fore • his | face ||
 || **and** | plague • — | them • that | hate him.

25 My truth also and my **mercy** | shall • be | with him ||
 || and in my **Name** shall his | horn • — | be • ex- |
 -alted.

26 I will set his dominion also | in • the | sea ||
 || **and** his | right • hand | in • the | floods.

27 He shall call me, **Thou** | art • my | Father ||
 || my **God** | and • my | strong • sal- | -vation.

28 And I will **make** | him • my | first-born ||
 || **higher** than the | kings • — | of • the | earth.

29 My mercy will I keep for **him** for | ev- • -er- | -more ||
 || and my **covenant** shall | stand • — | fast • — |
 with him.

2nd part 30 His seed also will I **make** to en- | -dure • for | ever ||
 || and his **throne** | as • the | days • of | heaven.

sure even in chastisements.

31 But if his **children** for- | -sake • my | law ||
 || **and** | walk • not | in • my | judgements;

32 If they break my statutes, and **keep** not |
 my • com- | -mandments ||
 || I will visit their offences with the **rod** |
 and • their | sin • with | scourges.
 33 Nevertheless, my loving-kindness will I not **utterly** |
 take • from | him ||
 || **nor** | suffer • my | truth • to | fail.
 34 My covenant will I not break, nor alter the thing
 that is **gone** | out of • my | lips ||
 || I have sworn once by my **holiness** that I |
 will • not | fail • — | David.
 35 His **seed** shall en- | -dure • for | ever ||
 || and his **seat** is | like • as the | sun • be- | -fore
 me.
 36 He shall stand fast for ever**more** | as • the | moon ||
 || and **as** the | faith- • -ful | witness • in | heaven.

The appeal of the people, forsaken

37 But thou hast abhorred and **forsaken** | thine • An- |
 -ointed ||
 || **and** | art • dis- | -plea- • -sed | at him.
 38 Thou hast broken the **covenant** | of • thy | servant ||
 || and **cast** his | crown • — | to • the | ground.
 39 Thou hast **overthrown** | all • his | hedges ||
 || **and** | bro- • -ken | down • his | strong holds.
 40 All **they** that go | by • — | spoil him ||
 || and he is **become** a re- | -proach • — | to • his |
 neighbours.

and defeated,

41 Thou hast set up the right **hand** | of • his |
 enemies ||
 || and made all his **advers-** | -a- • -ries | to • re- |
 -joice.
 42 Thou hast taken away the **edge** | of • his | sword ||
 || and **givest** him not | vic- • -tory | in • the | battle.
 43 **Thou** hast put | out • his | glory ||
 || and **cast** his | throne • — | down • to the | ground.
 44 The days of his **youth** | hast • thou | shortened ||
 || **and** | covered • him | with • dis- | -honour.

in regard of the shortness of the time,

45 Lord how long wilt thou **hide** thy- | -self • for | ever ||
 || and **shall** thy | wrath • — | burn • like | fire ?

46 O remember how **short** my | time • — | is ||
 || wherefore hast thou **made** | all • — | men • for |
 nought?

47 What man is he that **liveth** and shall | not • see |
 death ||
 || and shall he deliver his **soul** | from • the |
 hand • of | hell?

and the promises of God.

48 Lord where are thy **old** | lov- • -ing- | -kindnesses ||
 || which thou **swarest** unto | Da- • -vid | in • thy |
 truth ?

49 Remember Lord the **rebuke** that thy | ser- • -vants |
 have ||
 || and how I do bear in my **bosom** the re- |
 -bukes • of | ma- • -ny | people;

50 Wherewith thine enemies have blasphemed thee,
 and slandered the **footsteps** of | thine • An- |
 -ointed ||
 || Praised be the Lord for evermore | A- • -men |
 and • A- | -men.

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Morning Prayer

PSALM 90. *Domine, refugium.*

Transitoriness of man before God.

LORD, thou hast | been • our | refuge ||
 || from **one** gener- | -a- • -tion | to • an- | -other.

2 Before the mountains were brought forth, or ever
 the **earth** and the | world • were | made ||
 || thou art God from everlasting and | world • with- |
 -out • — | end.

3 Thou turnest **man** | to • de- | -struction ||
 || again thou sayest, **Come** a- | -gain • ye |
 children • of | men.

4 For a thousand years in **thy** sight are | but • as |
 yesterday ||
 || seeing that is **past** as a | watch • — | in • the |
 night.

5 As soon as thou scatterest them they are **even** |
 as • a | sleep ||
 || and **fade** away | sudden- • -ly | like • the | grass.

6 In the morning it is **green** and | grow- • -eth | up ||
 || but in the evening it is cut **down** | dri- • -ed |
 up • and | withered.

7 For we consume **away** in | thy • dis- | -pleasure ||
 || and are **afraid** at thy | wrath- • -ful | in- • -dig- |
 -nation.

8 Thou hast **set** our mis- | -deeds • be- | -fore thee ||
 || and our secret **sins** in the | light • — | of • thy |
 countenance.

9 For when thou art angry **all** our | days • are | gone ||
 || we bring our years to an end, as it **were** a |
 tale • — | that • is | told.

10 The days of our age are threescore years and ten,
 and though men be so strong that they **come**
 to | four- • -score | years ||
 || yet is their strength then but labour and sorrow,
 so soon **passeth** it a- | -way • and | we • are |
 gone.

11 But who regardeth the **power** | of • thy | wrath ||
 || for even thereafter as a man **feareth** | so • is |
 thy • dis- | -pleasure.

12 So **teach** us to | number • our | days ||
 || that we may **apply** our | hearts • — | un- • -to |
 wisdom.

Prayer for restoration.

13 Turn thee again O **Lord** | at • the | last ||
 || **and** be | gra- • -cious | unto • thy | servants.

14 O satisfy us with thy **mercy** and | that • — | soon ||
 || so shall we rejoice and be **glad** all the |
 days • — | of • our | life.

15 Comfort us again now after the time that **thou**
 hast | pla- • -gued | us ||
 || and for the years wherein | we • have |
 suffered • ad- | -versity.

16 **Shew** thy | servants • thy | work ||
 || **and** their | chil- • -dren | thy • — | glory.

17 And the glorious Majesty of the Lord our **God** |
 be • up- | -on us ||
 || prosper thou the work of our hands upon us,
 O **prosper** | thou • our | han- • -dy- | -work.

GLORIA.

PSALM 91. *Qui habitat.*

Confession.

WHOSO dwelleth under the **defence** of the |
most • — | High ||
|| shall abide **under** the | sha- • -dow | of • the Al- |
-mighty.

2 I will say unto the Lord, Thou art my **hope** |
and • my | strong hold ||
|| my **God** in | him • — | will • I | trust.

The divine protection.

3 For he shall deliver thee from the **snare** |
of • the | hunter ||
|| **and** | from • the | noi- • -some | pestilence.

4 He shall defend thee under his wings, and thou
shalt be **safe** | under • his | feathers ||
|| his faithfulness and **truth** shall | be • thy |
shield • and | buckler.

5 Thou shalt not be **afraid** for any | terror • by | night ||
|| **nor** for the | arrow • that | flieth • by | day;

6 For the **pestilence** that | walketh • in | darkness ||
|| nor for the **sickness** that de- | -stroy- • -eth |
in • the | noon-day.

7 A thousand shall fall beside thee, and ten **thousand**
at | thy • right | hand ||
|| **but** it shall | not • come | nigh • — | thee.

8 Yea with thine **eyes** shalt | thou • be- | -hold ||
|| and **see** the re- | -ward • of | the • un- | -godly.

Confession.

9 For thou **Lord** | art • my | hope ||
|| thou hast set thine **house** of de- | -fence • — |
ve- • -ry | high.

The divine protection.

10 There shall no evil **happen** | un- • -to | thee ||
|| neither shall any | plague • come | nigh • thy |
dwelling.

11 For he shall give his angels **charge** | o- • -ver | thee ||
|| to **keep** | thee • in | all • thy | ways.

12 They shall **bear** thee | in • their | hands ||
|| that thou **hurt** not thy | foot • a- | -against • a |
stone.

13 Thou shalt go upon the | lion • and | adder ||
 || the young lion and the dragon **shalt** thou |
 tread • — | under • thy | feet.
 The divine voice.

14 Because he hath set his love upon me, therefore
 will **I** de- | -li- • -ver | him ||
 || I will set him up, **because** | he • hath |
 known • my | Name.

15 He shall **call** upon me and | I • will | hear him ||
 || yea I am with him in trouble, I will **deliver** him
 and | bring • — | him • to | honour.

16 With long **life** will I | satis- • -fy | him ||
 || **and** | shew • him | my • sal- | -vation.

GLORIA.

PSALM 92. *Bonum est confiteri.*

The joy of thanksgiving.

IT is a good thing to give **thanks** | unto • the |
 Lord ||
 || and to sing praises unto thy | Name • — |
 O • most | Highest;

2 To tell of thy loving-kindness **early** | in • the |
 morning ||
 || and of thy **truth** | in • the | night- • — | -season;

3 Upon an instrument of ten strings, **and** up- |
 -on • the | lute ||
 || upon a **loud** instrument | and • up- | -on • the | harp.

4 For thou Lord, hast made me **glad** | through • thy |
 works ||
 || and I will rejoice in giving praise for the **oper-** |
 -a- • -tions | of • thy | hands.

5 O Lord how **glorious** | are • thy | works ||
 || **thy** | thoughts • are | ve- • -ry | deep.

6 An unwise man doth not **well** con- | -si- • -der | this ||
 || and a **fool** | doth • not | un- • -der- | -stand it.

The prosperity of the wicked,

7 When the ungodly are green as the grass, and when
 all the workers of **wicked-** | -ness • do | flourish ||
 || then shall they be destroyed for ever, but thou
 Lord art the **most** | Highest • for | ev- • -er- |
 -more.

8 For lo thine enemies O Lord, lo thine **enem- |**
 -ies • shall | perish ||
 || and all the workers of **wicked- | -ness** • shall |
 be • de- | -stroyed.

and of the righteous.

9 But mine horn shall be exalted like the **horn** |
 of • an | unicorn ||
 || for **I** am an- | -ointed • with | fresh • — | oil.

10 Mine eye also shall see his **lust** | of • mine | enemies ||
 || and mine ear shall hear his desire of the **wicked**
 that a- | -rise • — | up • a- | -gainst me.

11 The righteous shall **flourish** | like • a | palm-tree ||
 || and shall spread **abroad** | like • a | cedar • in |
 Libanus.

12 Such as are planted in the **house** | of • the | Lord ||
 || shall flourish in the **courts** of the | house • — |
 of • our | God.

13 They also shall bring forth more **fruit** | in • their | age ||
 || **and** shall be | fat • and | well- • — | -liking.

14 That they may shew how true the **Lord** my |
 strength • — | is ||
 || and that there is **no** un- | -right- • -eous- |
 -ness • in | him.

GLORIA.

Evening Prayer

PSALM 93. *Dominus regnavit.*

The majesty of God in creation,

THE Lord is King, and hath put on **glori- |**
 -ous • ap- | -parel ||
 || the Lord hath put on his apparel and |
 girded • him- | -self • with | strength.

2 He hath **made** the round | world • so | sure ||
 || **that** it | can- • -not | be • — | moved.

3 Ever since the world began hath thy **seat** |
 been • pre- | -pared ||
 || **thou** | art • from | ev- • -er- | -lasting.
 in sovereignty,

4 The floods are risen O Lord, the floods have **lift** |
 up • their | voice ||
 || **the** | floods • lift | up • their | waves.

5 The waves of the sea are **mighty** and | rage • — |
 horribly ||
 || but yet the **Lord** who | dwelleth • on | high • is |
 mightier.

in revelation.

6 Thy testimonies **O Lord** are | ve- • -ry | sure ||
 || **holiness** be- | -cometh • thine | house • for | ever.

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PSALM 94. *Deus ultionum.*

An appeal to God.

O LORD God, to **whom** | vengeance • be- |
 -longeth ||
 || thou God to whom **vengeance** be- | -long- • -eth |
 shew • thy- | -self.

2 Arise thou **Judge** | of • the | world ||
 || and reward the **proud** | af- • -ter | their • de- |
 -serving.

The wicked triumph, yet

3 Lord how **long** | shall • the un- | -godly ||
 || how **long** | shall • the un- | -god- • -ly | triumph ?

4 How long shall all wicked doers **speak** | so • dis- |
 -dainfully ||

|| **and** | make • such | proud • — | boasting ?

5 They smite **down** thy | people • O | Lord ||
 || **and** | trou- • -ble | thine • — | heritage.

6 They murder the **widow** | and • the | stranger ||
 || and **put** the | fa- • -ther- | -less • to | death.

7 And yet they say, **Tush**, the **Lord** | shall • not | see ||
 || neither **shall** the | God • of | Jacob • re- | -gard it.

God marks them.

8 Take heed ye **unwise** a- | -mong • the | people ||
 || O ye **fools** when | will • ye | un- • -der- | -stand ?

9 He that planted the **ear** shall | he • not | hear ||
 || or he that **made** the | eye • shall | he • not | see ?

10 Or he that **nurtur-** | -eth • the | heathen ||
 || it is he that teacheth man **knowledge** |
 shall • not | he • — | punish ?

11 The Lord **knoweth** the | thoughts • of | man ||
 || **that** | they • — | are • but | vain.

God's chastisements are fruitful at last;

12 Blessed is the man whom thou **chastenest** | O • — |
 Lord ||
 || **and** | teachest • him | in • thy | law;
 13 That thou mayest give him patience in **time** |
 of • ad- | -versity ||
 || until the pit be **digged** | up • for | the • un- | -godly.
 14 For the **Lord** will not | fail • his | people ||
 || neither **will** he for- | -sake • — | his • in- |
 -heritance;
 15 Until righteousness turn **again** | un- • -to |
 judgement ||
 || all such as are **true** in | heart • shall | fol- • -low | it.

nor does His help fail;

16 Who will rise up with **me** a- | -against • the | wicked ||
 || or who will take my **part** a- | -against • the |
 e- • -vil- | -doers?
 17 If the **Lord** had not | help- • -ed | me ||
 || it had not failed but my **soul** | had • been |
 put • to | silence.
 18 But when I **said** My | foot • hath | slipt ||
 || thy **mercy** O | Lord • — | held • me | up.
 19 In the multitude of the sorrows that I **had** |
 in • my | heart ||
 || thy **comforts** | have • re- | -fresched • my | soul.

and the wicked shall perish.

20 Wilt thou have any thing to **do** with the | stool • of |
 wickedness ||
 || which **imagineth** | mis- • -chief | as • a | law?
 21 They gather them together against the **soul** |
 of • the | righteous ||
 || **and** con- | -damn • the | inno- • -cent | blood.
 22 But the **Lord** | is • my | refuge ||
 || and my **God** is the | strength • — | of • my |
 confidence.
 23 He shall recompense them their wickedness, and
destroy them in their | own • — | malice ||
 || yea the **Lord** our | God • — | shall • de- |
 -stroy them.

GLORIA.

Morning Prayer

PSALM 95. *Venite, exultemus.*

A call to worship.

O COME let us sing | unto • the | Lord ||
 || let us heartily rejoice in the | strength • of |
 our • sal- | -vation.

2 Let us come before his presence with | thanks- • — |
 -giving ||
 || and shew ourselves | glad • in | him • with | psalms.

The greatness of God.

3 For the **Lord** is a | great • — | God ||
 || and a **great** | King • a- | -bove • all | gods.
 4 In his hand are all the **corners** | of • the | earth ||
 || and the **strength** of the | hills • is | his • — |
 also.

2nd part 5 The **sea** is his | and • he | made it ||
 || and his **hands** pre- | -pared • the | dry • — | land.

A renewed call.

6 O come let us **worship** and | fall • — | down ||
 || and **kneel** be- | -fore • the | Lord • our | Maker.
 7 For **he** is the | Lord • our | God ||
 || and we are the people of his pasture, **and** the |
 sheep • — | of • his | hand.

Warnings against neglect.

8 To-day if ye will hear his voice, **harden** | not • your |
 hearts ||
 || as in the provocation, and as in the **day** of tempt- |
 -a- • -tion | in • the | wilderness ;
 9 When your **fathers** | tempt- • -ed | me ||
 || **proved** | me • and | saw • my | works.
 10 Forty years long was I grieved with **this** gener- |
 -ation • and | said ||
 || It is a people that do err in their hearts, **for** they |
 have • not | known • my | ways ;
 11 Unto whom I **swear** | in • my | wrath ||
 || that they **should** not | en- • -ter | into • my | rest.

GLORIA.

PSALM 96. *Cantate Domino.*

Universal call to praise God,

O SING unto the **Lord** a | new • — | song ||
 || sing unto the **Lord** | all • the | whole • — |
 earth.

2 Sing unto the **Lord** and | praise • his | Name ||
 || be telling of **his** sal- | -vation • from | day • to | day.
 3 Declare his **honour** | unto • the | heathen ||
 || and his **wonders** | un- • -to | all • — | people.

for His supreme glory.

4 For the Lord is great, and cannot worthi- | -ly • be |
 praised ||
 || he is **more** to be | feared • than | all • — |
 gods.
 5 As for all the gods of the heathen, **they** | are • but |
 idols ||
 || but it **is** the | Lord • that | made • the | heavens.
 6 Glory and **worship** | are • be- | -fore him ||
 || **power** and | honour • are | in • his | sanctuary.

The heathen

7 Ascribe unto the Lord, O ye **kindreds** | of • the |
 people ||
 || **ascribe** unto the | Lord • — | worship • and |
 power.
 8 Ascribe unto the Lord the honour **due** | unto • his |
 Name ||
 || bring **presents** and | come • — | into • his | courts.
 9 O worship the **Lord** in the | beauty • of | holiness ||
 || let the whole **earth** | stand • in | awe • of | him.

and nature rejoice in Him,

10 Tell it out among the **heathen** that the | Lord • is |
 King ||
 || and that it is he who hath made the round world
 so fast that it cannot be moved, and how that
he shall | judge • the | peo- • -ple | righteously.
 11 Let the heavens rejoice, and **let** the | earth • be |
 glad ||
 || let the sea make a **noise** and | all • that |
 there- • -in | is.

12 Let the field be joyful and | all that • is | in it ||
 || then shall all the trees of the wood re- |
 -joice • be- | -fore • the | Lord.

the coming Judge.

13 For he cometh, for he cometh to | judge • the |
 earth ||
 || and with righteousness to judge the world and
 the | peo- • -ple | with • his | truth.

GLORIA.

PSALM 97. *Dominus regnavit.*

The sovereignty of God.

THE Lord is King, the earth may be |
 glad • there- | -of ||
 || yea the multitude of the isles | may • be |
 glad • there- | -of.

2 Clouds and darkness are | round • a- | -bout him ||
 || righteousness and judgement are the habit-
 -a- • -tion | of • his | seat.

3 There shall go a | fire • be- | -fore him ||
 || and burn up his enem- | -ies • on | ev- • -ery | side.

The signs of His presence.

4 His lightnings gave shine | unto • the | world ||
 || the earth | saw it • and | was • a- | -fraid.

5 The hills melted like wax at the presence | of • the |
 Lord ||
 || at the presence of the Lord | of • the | whole • — |
 earth.

6 The heavens have de- | -clared • his | righteousness ||
 || and all the | people • have | seen • his | glory.

His judgments.

7 Confounded be all they that worship carved images,
 and that delight in | vain • — | gods ||
 || worship | him • — | all • ye | gods.

8 Sion heard of it | and • re- | -joiced ||
 || and the daughters of Judah were glad, because
 of thy | judge- • -ments | O • — | Lord.

9 For thou Lord art higher than all that are |
 in • the | earth ||
 || thou art exalted | far • a- | -bove • all | gods.

His subjects.

10 O ye that love the Lord, see that ye hate the **thing** |
which • is | evil ||
|| the Lord preserveth the souls of his saints, he
shall deliver them **from** the | hand • of |
the • un- | -godly.
11 There is sprung up a **light** | for • the | righteous ||
|| and joyful **gladness** for | such • as | are • true- |
-hearted.
12 **Rejoice** in the | Lord • ye | righteous ||
|| and give **thanks** for a re- | -mem- • -brance |
of • his | holiness.

GLORIA.

Evening Prayer

PSALM 98. *Cantate Domino.*

God's victory for His people.

O SING unto the **Lord** a | new • — | song ||
|| for **he** hath | done • — | marvel- • -lous |
things.
2 With his own right hand, and **with** his | ho- • -ly |
arm ||
|| **hath** he | gotten • him- | -self • the | victory.
3 The Lord declared | his • sal- | -vation ||
|| his righteousness hath he openly **shewed** in the |
sight • — | of • the | heathen.
4 He hath remembered his mercy and truth toward
the **house** of | Is- • -ra- | -el ||
|| and all the ends of the world have **seen** the sal- |
-va- • -tion | of • our | God.

Let men and

5 Shew yourselves joyful unto the **Lord** | all • ye | lands ||
|| **sing** re- | -oice • and | give • — | thanks.
6 Praise the **Lord** up- | -on • the | harp ||
|| sing to the **harp** with a | psalm • of | thanks- • — |
-giving.
7 With **trumpets** | also • and | shawms ||
|| O shew yourselves **joyful** be- | -fore • the | Lord • the |
King.

nature praise Him for His judgment.

- 8 Let the sea make a noise, and all that | there- • -in | is ||
|| the round **world** and | they • that | dwell • there- | -in.
- 9 Let the floods clap their hands, and let the hills
be joyful together be- | -fore • the | Lord ||
|| **for** he | cometh • to | judge • the | earth.
- 10 With righteousness **shall** he | judge • the | world ||
|| **and** the | peo- • -ple | with • — | equity.

GLORIA.

PSALM 99. *Dominus regnavit.*

The Lord is King.

THE Lord is King, be the people never | so • im- |
-patient ||

|| he sitteth between the cherubims, be the earth |
nev- • -er | so • un- | -quiet.

2 The **Lord** is | great • in | Sion ||

|| **and** | high • a- | -bove • all | people.

3 They shall give **thanks** | unto • thy | Name ||

|| which is **great** | won- • -der- | -ful • and | holy.

4 The King's power loveth judgement, **thou** hast pre- |
-pa- • -red | equity ||

|| thou hast executed **judgement** and | right- • -eous- |
-ness • in | Jacob.

5 O **magnify** the | Lord • our | God ||

|| and fall down before his **footstool** | for • — |
he • is | holy.

The witness of history.

6 Moses and Aaron among his priests, and Samuel
among such as **call** up- | -on • his | Name ||
|| these called upon the | Lord • — | and • he |
heard them.

7 He spake unto them **out** of the | clou- • -dy | pillar ||
|| for they kept his testimonies, **and** the | law • — |
that • he | gave them.

8 Thou **heardest** them O | Lord • our | God ||
|| thou forgavest them O God, and **punish-** |
-edst • their | own • in- | -ventions.

9 O **magnify** the Lord our God, and worship him
upon his | ho- • -ly | hill ||
|| **for** the | Lord • our | God • is | holy.

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2nd part

PSALM 100. *Jubilate Deo.*

A twofold call and ground for worship.

1 **O** BE joyful in the **Lord** | all • ye | lands ||
 || serve the Lord with gladness, and come
 before his | pres- • -ence | with • a | song.

2 Be ye sure that the **Lord** | he • is | God ||
 || it is he that hath made us, and not we ourselves,
 we are his people, and the | sheep • — | of • his |
 pasture.

3 O go your way into his gates with thanksgiving,
 and into his | courts • with | praise ||
 || be thankful unto him, and speak | good • — |
 of • his | Name.

4 For the Lord is gracious, his **mercy** is | ev- • -er- |
 -lasting ||
 || and his truth endureth from **gener-** | -ation • to |
 gen- • -er- | -ation.

GLORIA.

PSALM 101. *Misericordiam et judicium.*

The profession of a righteous ruler.

1 **M**Y **song** shall be of | mercy • and | judgement ||
 || unto **thee** O | Lord • — | will • I | sing.

2 O let me have | un- • -der- | -standing ||
 || in the | way • of | god- • -li- | -ness.

3 When wilt thou **come** | un- • -to | me ||
 || I will walk in my **house** | with • a | per- • -fect |
 heart.

4 I will take no wicked thing in hand, I hate the **sins** |
 of • un- | -faithfulness ||
 || there shall **no** such | cleave • — | un- • -to | me.

5 A froward **heart** shall de- | -part • from | me ||
 || I **will** not | know • a | wick- • -ed | person.

6 Whoso privily **slander-** | -eth • his | neighbour ||
 || **him** | — • will | I • de- | -stroy.

7 Whoso hath also a proud **look** and | high • — |
 stomach ||
 || **I** | will • not | suf- • -fer | him.

8 Mine eyes look upon such as are **faithful** | in • the |
 land ||
 || **that** | they • may | dwell • with | me.

9 Whoso **leadeth** a | god- • -ly | life ||
 || **he** | — • shall | be • my | servant.
 10 There shall no deceitful person **dwell** | in • my |
 house ||
 || he that telleth **lies** shall not | tar- • -ry | in • my |
 sight.
 11 I shall soon destroy all the **ungodly** that are |
 in • the | land ||
 || that I may root out all wicked doers **from** the |
 ci- • -ty | of • the | Lord.

GLORIA.

Morning Prayer

PSALM 102. *Domine, exaudi.*

Prayer in deep distress.

HEAR my | prayer • O | Lord ||
 || and let my **crying** | come • — | un- • -to |
 thee.
 2 Hide not thy face from me in the **time** | of • my |
 trouble ||
 || incline thine ear unto me when I **call** O |
 hear me • and | that • right | soon.
 3 For my days are consumed a- | -way • like | smoke ||
 || and my bones are **burnt** up | as • it | were • a |
 fire-brand.
 4 My heart is smitten **down** and | withered • like |
 grass ||
 || so that **I** for- | -get • to | eat • my | bread.
 5 For the **voice** | of • my | groaning ||
 || my bones will **scarce** | cleave • — | to • my |
 flesh.
 6 I am become like a **pelican** | in • the | wilderness ||
 || and like an **owl** | that • is | in • the | desert.
 7 I have watched, and am **even** as it | were • a |
 sparrow ||
 || that **sitteth** a- | -lone • up- | -on • the | house-top.
 8 Mine enemies **revile** me | all the • day | long ||
 || and they that are mad **upon** me are | sworn • to- |
 -gether • a- | -gainst me.
 9 For I have eaten **ashes** | as it • were | bread ||
 || **and** | mingled • my | drink • with | weeping ;

10 And that because of thine **indig-** | -nation • and |
 wrath ||
 || for thou hast taken me | up • and | cast • me |
 down.
 11 My days are **gone** | like • a | shadow ||
 || and **I** am | with- • -ered | like • — | grass.

Trust in the unchanging mercy of God.

12 But thou **O Lord** shalt en- | -dure • for | ever ||
 || and thy **remembrance** through- | -out • all |
 gen- • -er- | -ations.
 13 Thou shalt arise and have **mercy** up- | -on • — |
 Sion ||
 || for it is time that thou have mercy upon her |
 yea • the | time • is | come.
 14 And why, thy servants **think** up- | -on • her | stones ||
 || and it pitith **them** to | see • her | in • the | dust.
 15 The heathen shall **fear** thy | Name • **O** | **Lord** ||
 || and all the **kings** | of • the | earth • thy | Majesty;
 16 When the **Lord** shall | build • up | Sion ||
 || and **when** his | glo- • -ry | shall • ap- | -pear;
 17 When he turneth him unto the **prayer** of the |
 poor • — | destitute ||
 || **and** de- | -spiseth • not | their • de- | -sire.
 18 This shall be written for **those** that | come • — |
 after ||
 || and the people which **shall** be | born • shall |
 praise • the | Lord.
 19 For he hath looked **down** | from • his | **sanctuary** ||
 || out of the **heaven** did the | **Lord** • be- |
 -hold • the | earth;
 20 That he might hear the mournings of **such** as are |
 in • capt- | -ivity ||
 || and deliver the **children** ap- | -point- • -ed |
 un- • -to | death;
 21 That they may declare the **Name** of the |
Lord • in | Sion ||
 || **and** his | wor- • -ship | at • Je- | -rusalem;
 22 When the **people** are | gathered • to- | -gether ||
 || and the **kingdoms** | also • to | serve • the | **Lord**.

The Lord abides for ever, and they that are His abide with Him.

23 He brought down my **strength** | in • my | **journey** ||
 || **and** | shor- • -tened | my • — | days.

24 But I said, O my God take me not away in the
 midst | of • mine | age ||
 || as for thy years, they endure through- | -out • all |
 gen- • -er- | -ations.

25 Thou Lord in the beginning hast laid the foundation |
 of • the | earth ||
 || and the heavens are the | work • of | thy • — |
 hands.

26 They shall perish, but thou | shalt • en- | -dure ||
 || they all shall wax | old • as | doth • a | garment;

27 And as a vesture shalt thou change them, and
 they | shall • be | changed ||
 || but thou art the same and | thy • years |
 shall • not | fail.

28 The children of thy servants | shall • con- | -tinue ||
 || and their seed shall stand | fast • — | in • thy |
 sight.

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PSALM 103. *Benedic, anima mea.*

Praise the Lord.

PRAISE the Lord | O • my | soul ||
 || and all that is within me | praise • his |
 ho- • -ly | Name.

2 Praise the Lord | O • my | soul ||
 || and for- | -get • not | all • his | benefits;

3 Who forgiveth | all • thy | sin ||
 || and healeth | all • — | thine • in- | -firmities;

4 Who saveth thy life | from • de- | -struction ||
 || and crowneth thee with | mercy • and | lov- • -ing- |
 -kindness;

5 Who satisfieth thy mouth with | good • — | things ||
 || making thee young and | lus- • -ty | as • an | eagle.

His righteousness and mercy.

6 The Lord executeth righteous- | -ness • and |
 judgement ||
 || for all them that | are • op- | -pressed • with |
 wrong.

7 He shewed his ways | un- • -to | Moses ||
 || his works unto the | children • of | Is- • -ra- | -el.

8 The Lord is full of com- | -passion • and | mercy ||
 || long-suffering | and • of | great • — | goodness.

9 He **will** not | alway • be | chiding ||
 || neither **keepeth** | he • his | anger • for | ever.

10 He hath not **dealt** with us | after • our | sins ||
 || nor rewarded us ac- | -cord- • -ing | to • our |
 wickednesses.

11 For look how high the heaven is in comparison |
 of • the | earth ||
 || so great is his mercy **also** | to- • -ward |
 them • that | fear him.

12 Look how wide also the **east** is | from • the | west ||
 || so **far** hath he | set • our | sins • from | us.

13 Yea, like as a father **pitith** his | own • — | children ||
 || even so is the Lord **merciful** | un- • -to |
 them • that | fear him.

14 For he knoweth whereof | we • are | made ||
 || he **remembereth** | that • we | are • but | dust.

15 The days of **man** are | but • as | grass ||
 || for he flourisheth **as** a | flow- • -er | of • the | field.

16 For as soon as the wind goeth **over** it | it • is |
 gone ||
 || and the place thereof shall | know • it | no • — |
 more.

17 But the merciful goodness of the Lord endureth for
 ever and ever **upon** | them • that | fear him ||
 || and his **righteousness** up- | -on • — | chil- • -dren's |
 children;

18 Even upon **such** as | keep • his | covenant ||
 || and **think** upon | his • com- | -mandments • to |
 do them.

19 The Lord hath prepared his | seat • in | heaven ||
 || and his **kingdom** | ru- • -leth | o- • -ver | all.

Praise the Lord.

20 O praise the Lord ye angels of his, **ye** that ex- |
 -cel • in | strength ||
 || ye that fulfil his commandment, and hearken
 unto the | voice • — | of • his | words.

21 O praise the **Lord** all | ye • his | hosts ||
 || ye **servants** of | his • that | do • his | pleasure.

22 O speak good of the Lord all ye works of his, in
 all **places** of | his • do- | -minion ||
 || **praise** thou the | Lord • — | O • my | soul.

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Evening Prayer

PSALM 104. *Benedic, anima mea.*

The majesty of God in nature,

PRAISE the **Lord** | O • my | soul ||
 || O Lord my God thou art become exceeding
 glorious, thou art **clothed** with | ma- • -jes- |
 -ty • and | honour.

2 Thou deckest thyself with light as it **were** |
 with • a | garment ||
 || and spreadest **out** the | heav- • -ens | like • a |
 curtain.

3 Who layeth the beams of his **chambers** | in • the |
 waters ||
 || and maketh the clouds his chariot, and walketh
 upon the | wings • — | of • the | wind.

4 He **maketh** his | an- • -gels | spirits ||
 || and his **minis-** | -ters • a | fla- • -ming | fire.

His creative power in land and water.

5 He laid the **foundations** | of • the | earth ||
 || that it **never** should | move • at | a- • -ny |
 time.

6 Thou coveredst it with the deep **like** as | with • a |
 garment ||
 || the **waters** | stand • — | in • the | hills.

7 At **thy** re- | -buke • they | flee ||
 || at the **voice** of thy | thunder • they | are • a- |
 -fraid.

8 They go up as high as the hills, and **down** to the |
 valleys • be- | -neath ||
 || even unto the place which **thou** | hast • ap- |
 -point- • -ed | for them.

9 Thou hast set them their **bounds** which they |
 shall • not | pass ||
 || neither **turn** a- | -gain • to | cover • the |
 earth.

10 He sendeth the **springs** | into • the | rivers ||
 || **which** | run • a- | -mong • the | hills.

His provision for living things.

11 All beasts of the **field** | drink • there- | -of ||
 || and the **wild** | ass- • -es | quench • their | thirst.

12 Beside them shall the fowls of the **air** have their |
 ha- • -bit- | -ation ||
 || **and** | sing • a- | -mong • the | branches.

13 He watereth the **hills** | from • a- | -bove ||
 || the earth is **filled** with the | fruit • — | of • thy |
 works.

14 He bringeth forth **grass** | for • the | cattle ||
 || and green **herb** | for • the | service • of | men ;

2nd part 15 That he may bring food out of the earth, and wine
 that maketh **glad** the | heart • of | man ||
 || and oil to make him a cheerful countenance, and
bread to | strength- • -en | man's • — | heart.

16 The trees of the Lord also are | full • of | sap ||
 || even the cedars of **Liba-** | -nus • which |
 he • hath | planted ;

17 Wherein the **birds** | make • their | nests ||
 || and the **fir**-trees are a | dwel- • -ling | for • the |
 stork.

18 The high hills are a **refuge** for the | wild • — |
 goats ||
 || and so are the **stony** | rocks • — | for • the | conies.

The ministry of day and night.

19 He appointed the **moon** for | cer- • -tain | seasons ||
 || and the **sun** | knoweth • his | go- • -ing | down.

20 Thou makest **darkness** that it | may • be | night ||
 || wherein all the **beasts** | of • the | forest • do |
 move.

21 The lions **roaring** | after • their | prey ||
 || **do** | seek • their | meat • from | God.

22 The sun ariseth, and they **get** them a- | -way • to- |
 -gether ||
 || and **lay** them | down • — | in • their | dens.

23 Man goeth forth to his **work** and | to • his |
 labour ||
 || un- | — • — | -til • the | evening.

His enduring and triumphant Majesty.

24 O Lord how **manifold** | are • thy | works ||
 || in wisdom hast thou made them all, the **earth** is |
 full • — | of • thy | riches.

25 So is the **great** and | wide • sea | also ||
 || wherein are things creeping innumerable, **both** |
 small • and | great • — | beasts.

26 There go the ships, and **there** is | that • Lev- |
 -iathan ||
 || whom thou hast **made** to | take • his |
 pastime • there- | -in.

27 These **wait** | all up • -on | thee ||
 || that thou mayest **give** them | meat • in |
 due • — | season.

28 When thou givest it **them** they | ga- • -ther | it ||
 || and when thou openest thy **hand** | they • are |
 filled • with | good.

29 When thou hidest thy **face** | they • are | troubled ||
 || when thou takest away their breath they die, and
 are **turned** a- | -gain • — | to • their | dust.

30 When thou lettest thy breath go **forth** they |
 shall • be | made ||
 || and thou shalt **renew** the | face • — | of • the |
 earth.

Confession of His sovereignty.

31 The glorious Majesty of the **Lord** shall en- |
 -dure • for | ever ||
 || the **Lord** shall re- | -joice • — | in • his | works.

32 The earth shall **tremble** at the | look • of |
 him ||
 || if he do but **touch** the | hills • — | they • shall |
 smoke.

33 I will sing unto the **Lord** as | long as • I | live ||
 || I will praise my **God** | while • I | have • my |
 being.

34 And **so** shall my | words • — | please him ||
 || my **joy** shall | be • — | in • the | Lord.

35 As for sinners, they shall be consumed out of the
 earth, and the **ungodly** shall | come • to an |
 end ||
 || praise thou the Lord O my **soul** | praise • — |
 — • the | Lord.

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Morning Prayer

PSALM 105. *Confitemini Domino.*

The goodness of God to His people.

O GIVE thanks unto the Lord, and call up- |
-on • his | Name ||

|| tell the people what | things • — | he • hath | done.

2 O let your songs be of | him • and | praise him ||

|| and let your talking be of | all • his | won- • -drous |
works.

3 Rejoice in his | ho- • -ly | Name ||

|| let the heart of them re- | -joice • that | seek • the |
Lord.

4 Seek the Lord | and • his | strength ||

|| seek his | face • — | ev- • -er- | -more.

5 Remember the marvellous works that | he • hath |
done ||

|| his wonders and the | judge- • -ments | of • his |
mouth,

6 O ye seed of Abra- | -ham • his | servant ||

|| ye | children • of | Jacob • his | chosen.

His covenant with the fathers.

7 He is the | Lord • our | God ||

|| his judgements | are • in | all • the | world.

8 He hath been alway mindful of his coven- |
-ant • and | promise ||

|| that he made to a | thou- • -sand | gen- • -er- |
-ations ;

9 Even the covenant that he | made • with | Abraham ||

|| and the oath that he | sware • — | un- • -to | Isaac ;

10 And appointed the same unto Jacob | for • a | law ||

|| and to Israel for an | ev- • -er- | -last- • -ing |
testament ;

11 Saying, Unto thee will I give the | land • of |
Canaan ||

|| the | lot • of | your • in- | -hefiance ;

12 When there were yet but a | few • of | them ||

|| and they | stran- • -gers | in • the | land ;

13 What time as they went from one nation | to • an- |
-other ||

|| from one kingdom | to • an- | -o- • -ther | people ;

14 He suffered **no** man to | do • them | wrong ||
 || but reproved even | kings • for | their • — | sakes;
 15 **Touch** not | mine • An- | -ointed ||
 || and | do • my | prophets • no | harm.

The deliverance from Egypt in its preparation,

16 Moreover he called for a **dearth** up- | -on • the |
 land ||
 || and **destroyed** | all the • pro- | -vision • of | bread.
 17 But he had **sent** a | man • be- | -fore them ||
 || even Joseph, who was **sold** to | be • a | bond- • — |
 -servant;
 18 Whose feet they **hurt** | in • the | stocks ||
 || the **iron** | en- • -tered | into • his | soul;
 19 Until the time **came** that his | cause • was | known ||
 || the **word** | of • the | Lord • — | tried him.
 20 The king **sent** and de- | -li- • -vered | him ||
 || the **prince** of the | peo- • -ple | let him • go | free.
 21 He made him **lord** also | of • his | house ||
 || **and** | ruler • of | all • his | substance;
 22 That he might inform his **princes** | after • his | will ||
 || **and** | teach • his | sena- • -tors | wisdom.
 23 Israel also **came** | in- • -to | Egypt ||
 || and Jacob was a **stranger** | in • the | land • of |
 Ham.
 24 And he **increased** his | people • ex- | -ceedingly ||
 || and **made** them | stron- • -ger | than • their |
 enemies;
 2nd part 25 Whose heart turned **so** that they | hated • his |
 people ||
 || and **dealt** un- | -tru- • -ly | with • his | servants.

its execution in judgment,

26 Then **sent** he | Moses • his | servant ||
 || **and** | Aaron • whom | he • had | chosen.
 27 And these **shewed** his | tokens • a- | -mong them ||
 || and **wonders** | in • the | land • of | Ham.
 28 He sent **darkness** and | it • was | dark ||
 || and they were **not** ob- | -e- • -dient | unto • his |
 word.
 29 He turned their waters | in- • -to | blood ||
 || **and** | slew • — | their • — | fish.
 30 Their **land** | brought • forth | frogs ||
 || yea, even | in • their | kings' • — | chambers.

31 He spake the word, and there came all |
manner • of | flies ||
|| and | lice • in | all • their | quarters.

32 He gave them | hail-stones • for | rain ||
|| and **flames** of | fire • — | in • their | land.

33 He smote their **vines** | also • and | fig-trees ||
|| and destroyed the **trees** | that • were | in • their |
coasts.

34 He spake the word and the grasshoppers came, and
cater- | -pillars • in- | -numerable ||
|| and did eat up all the grass in their land, and
devoured the | fruit • — | of • their | ground.

35 He smote all the **first-born** | in • their | land ||
|| even the | chief • of | all • their | strength.

its consummation.

36 He brought them forth also with | silver • and |
gold ||
|| there was not **one** feeble | person • a- |
-mong • their | tribes.

37 Egypt was **glad** at | their • de- | -parting ||
|| **for** they | were • a- | -fraid • of | them.

38 He spread out a **cloud** to | be • a | covering ||
|| and fire to give **light** | in • the | night- • — |
-season.

39 At their **desire** he | brought • — | quails ||
|| and he **filled** them | with • the | bread • of | heaven.

40 He opened the rock of stone, and the **waters** |
flow- • -ed | out ||
|| so that rivers **ran** | in • the | dry • — | places.

41 For why, he **remembered** his | ho- • -ly | promise ||
|| **and** | A- • -bra- | -ham • his | servant.

42 And he brought **forth** his | people • with | joy ||
|| **and** his | cho- • -sen | with • — | gladness;

43 And gave them the **lands** | of • the | heathen ||
|| and they took the labours **of** the | peo- • -ple |
in • pos- | -session;

44 That **they** might | keep • his | statutes ||
|| **and** ob- | -serve • — | his • — | laws.

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Evening Prayer

PSALM 106. *Confitemini Domino.*

Praise and prayer.

O GIVE thanks unto the **Lord** for | he • is |
gracious ||
|| and his | mercy • en- | -dureth • for | ever.
2 Who can express the noble **acts** | of • the | Lord ||
|| or | shew • forth | all • his | praise ?
3 Blessed are **they** that | alway • keep | judgement ||
|| and | do • — | right- • -eous- | -ness.
4 Remember me O Lord, according to the favour that
thou **bearest** | unto • thy | people ||
|| O **visit** | me • with | thy • sal- | -vation ;
5 That I may see the **felicity** | of • thy | chosen ||
|| and rejoice in the gladness of thy people, **and**
give | thanks • with | thine • in- | -heritance.

The sins of the people in contrast with God's mercies in Egypt;

6 We have **sinned** | with • our | fathers ||
|| we have **done** a- | -miss • and | dealt • — | wickedly.
7 Our fathers regarded not thy wonders in Egypt,
neither kept they thy great **goodness** | in • re- |
-membrance ||
|| but were disobedient at the sea, **even** | at • the |
Red • — | sea.
8 Nevertheless, he helped them **for** his | Name's • — |
sake ||
|| that he might **make** his | pow- • -er | to • be |
known.
9 He rebuked the Red sea also, **and** it was | dri- • -ed |
up ||
|| so he led them **through** the | deep • as |
through • a | wilderness.
10 And he saved them from the **advers-** | -a- • -ry's |
hand ||
|| and delivered them **from** the | hand • — |
of • the | enemy.
11 As for those that troubled them, the waters **over-** |
-whelm- • -ed | them ||
|| there **was** not | one • of | them • — | left.
12 Then believed | they • his | words ||
|| and **sang** | praise • — | un- • -to | him.

in the Exodus;

13 But within a **while** they for- | -gat • his | works ||
 || **and** would | not • a- | -bide • his | counsel.

14 But lust came upon them | in • the | wilderness ||
 || and they **tempted** | God • — | in • the | desert.

15 And he **gave** them | their • de- | -sire ||
 || and sent **leanness** with- | -al • — | into • their | soul.

16 They angered Moses **also** | in • the | tents ||
 || and **Aaron** the | saint • — | of • the | Lord.

17 So the earth **opened** and | swallowed • up | Dathan ||
 || and covered the **congre-** | -ga- • -tion | of • Ab- | -iram.

18 And the fire was **kindled** | in • their | company ||
 || the **flame** | burnt • up | the • un- | -godly.

19 They **made** a | calf • in | Horeb ||
 || **and** | worshipped • the | mol- • -ten | image.

20 **Thus** they | turned • their | glory ||
 || into the **similitude** of a | calf • that | eat- • -eth | hay.

21 And they **forgat** | God • their | Saviour ||
 || who had **done** so | great • — | things • in | Egypt;

22 Wondrous **works** in the | land • of | Ham ||
 || and fearful **things** | by • the | Red • — | sea.

23 So he said he would have destroyed them, had not
 Moses his chosen stood **before** him | in • the |
 gap ||
 || to turn away his wrathful **indignation** | lest • he |
 should • de- | -stroy them.

24 Yea they thought **scorn** of that | plea- • -sant | land ||
 || and **gave** no | cre- • -dence | unto • his | word ;

25 But **murmured** | in • their | tents ||
 || and hearkened not **unto** the | voice • — | of • the |
 Lord.

26 Then lift he **up** his | hand • a- | -gainst them ||
 || to **over-** | -throw • them | in • the | wilderness ;

2nd part 27 To cast out their **seed** a- | -mong • the | nations ||
 || **and** to | scatter • them | in • the | lands.

28 They joined themselves **unto** | Ba- • -al- | -peor ||
 || and **ate** the | of- • -ferings | of • the | dead.

29 Thus they provoked him to **anger** with their |
 own • in- | -ventions ||
 || **and** the | plague • was | great • a- | -mong them.

30 Then stood up **Phine-** | -es • and | prayed ||
 || **and** | so • the | plague • — | ceased.
 31 And that was counted **unto** | him • for | righteousness ||
 || among all **posteri-** | -ties • for | ev- • -er- | -more.
 32 They angered him also at the | waters • of | strife ||
 || so that he **punished** | Mo- • -ses | for • their | sakes ;
 33 **Because** they pro- | -voked • his | spirit ||
 || so that he **spake** unad- | -vised- • -ly | with • his |
 lips.

in Canaan.

34 Neither **destroyed** | they • the | heathen ||
 || **as** the | Lord • com- | -mand- • -ed | them ;
 35 But were **mingled** a- | -mong • the | heathen ||
 || **and** | learn- • -ed | their • — | works.
 36 Insomuch that they worshipped their idols, which
 turned to their | own • de- | -cay ||
 || yea, they offered their **sons** and their |
 daugh- • -ters | un- • -to | devils ;
 37 And shed innocent blood, even the blood of their
sons and | of • their | daughters ||
 || whom they offered unto the idols of Canaan, and
 the **land** | was • de- | -filed • with | blood.
 38 Thus were they **stained** with their | own • — | works ||
 || and went a **whoring** | with • their | own • in-
 -ventions.

The Divine chastisements.

39 Therefore was the wrath of the Lord **kindled** a- |
 -gainst • his | people ||
 || insomuch that **he** ab- | -horred • his | own • in- |
 -heritance.
 40 And he gave them over into the **hand** | of • the |
 heathen ||
 || and they that **hated** them were | lords • — |
 o- • -ver | them.
 41 Their **enemies** op- | -pres- • -sed | them ||
 || **and** | had • them | in • sub- | -jection.
 42 Many a time did **he** de- | -li- • -ver | them ||
 || but they rebelled against him with their own
 inventions, and were **brought** | down • — |
 in • their | wickedness.
 43 Nevertheless, when he **saw** | their • ad- | -versity ||
 || **he** | heard • — | their • com- | -plaint.

44 He thought upon his covenant and pitied them according unto the multitude | of • his | mercies ||

|| yea, he made all those that led them away | captive • to | pi- • -ty | them.

45 Deliver us O Lord our God, and gather us from a- | -mong • the | heathen ||

|| that we may give thanks unto thy holy Name, and make our | boast • — | of • thy | praise.

46 Blessed be the Lord God of Israel from everlasting and | world with- • -out | end ||

|| and let all the | peo- • -ple | say • A- | -men.

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Morning Prayer

PSALM 107. *Confitemini Domino.*

Let all give thanks,

O GIVE thanks unto the Lord for | he • is | gracious ||
|| and his | mercy • en- | -dureth • for | ever.

exiles and wanderers,

2 Let them give thanks whom the Lord | hath • re- | -deemed ||

|| and delivered from the | hand • — | of • the | enemy;

3 And gathered them out of the lands, from the east and | from • the | west ||

|| from the | north • and | from • the | south.

4 They went astray in the wilderness | out of • the | way ||

|| and | found • no | city • to | dwell in;

5 Hungry | and • — | thirsty ||

|| their | soul • — | faint- • -ed | in them.

6 So they cried unto the Lord | in • their | trouble ||
|| and he delivered | them • from | their • di- | -stress.

2nd part 7 He led them forth by the | right • — | way ||
|| that they might go to the | ci- • -ty | where • they | dwelt.

8 O that men would therefore praise the **Lord** |
 for • his | goodness ||
 || and declare the wonders that he **doeth** | for • the |
 children • of | men !
 9 For he **satisfieth** the | emp- • -ty | soul ||
 || and **filleth** the | hun- • -gry | soul • with | goodness.

captives and prisoners,

10 Such as sit in darkness, and **in** the | shadow • of |
 death ||
 || being fast **bound** in | mi- • -ser- | -y • and | iron ;
 11 Because they rebelled against the **words** | of • the |
 Lord ||
 || and lightly regarded the **counsel** | of • the |
 most • — | Highest ;
 12 He also brought **down** their | heart • through |
 heaviness ||
 || they fell **down** and | there • was | none • to |
 help them.
 13 So when they cried unto the **Lord** | in • their |
 trouble ||
 || he delivered them | out • of | their • di- | -stress.

2nd part 14 For he brought them out of darkness, and **out of**
 the | shadow • of | death ||
 || and | brake • their | bonds • in | sunder.

15 O that men would therefore praise the **Lord** |
 for • his | goodness ||
 || and declare the wonders that he **doeth** | for • the |
 children • of | men !
 16 For he hath **broken** the | gates • of | brass ||
 || and **smitten** the | bars • of | iron • in | sunder.

the sick unto death,

17 Foolish men are **plagued** for | their • of- | -fence ||
 || **and be-** | -cause • — | of • their | wickedness.
 18 Their soul **abhorred** all | manner • of | meat ||
 || and they were **even** | hard • at | death's • — | door.
 19 So when they cried unto the **Lord** | in • their |
 trouble ||
 || he delivered them | out • of | their • di- | -stress.
 20 He sent his **word** and | heal- • -ed | them ||
 || and **they** were | saved • from | their • de- |
 -struction.

21 O that men would therefore praise the **Lord** |
 for • his | goodness ||
 || and declare the wonders that he **doeth** | for • the |
 children • of | men !

22 That they would offer unto him the **sacrifice** of |
 thanks- • — | -giving ||
 || and **tell** | out • his | works • with | gladness !
 storm-tossed seafarers.

23 They that go **down** to the | sea • in | ships ||
 || and **occupy** their | business • in | great • — |
 waters ;

24 These men see the **works** | of • the | **Lord** ||
 || **and** his | won- • -ders | in • the | deep.

25 For at his word the **stormy** | wind • a- | -riseth ||
 || which **lifteth** | up • the | waves • there- | -of.

26 They are carried up to the heaven, and **down**
 again | to • the | deep ||
 || their soul melteth away be- | -cause • — |
 of • the | trouble.

27 They reel to and fro, and stagger **like** a |
 drun- • -ken | man ||
 || **and** are | at • their | wits' • — | end.

28 So when they cry unto the **Lord** | in • their | trouble ||
 || he **delivereth** them | out • of | their • di- | -stress.

29 For he **maketh** the | storm • to | cease ||
 || **so** that the | waves • there- | -of • are | still.

30 Then are they glad, **because** they | are • at | rest ||
 || and so he bringeth them unto the **haven** |
 where • they | would • — | be.

31 O that men would therefore praise the **Lord** |
 for • his | goodness ||
 || and declare the wonders that he **doeth** | for • the |
 children • of | men !

32 That they would exalt him also in the congregation |
 of • the | people ||
 || and **praise** him in the | seat • — | of • the | elders !

The Lord rules the changes of life.

33 Who turneth the **floods** | into • a | wilderness ||
 || **and** | dri- • -eth | up • the | water-springs.

34 A fruitful **land** | maketh • he | barren ||
 || for the **wickedness** of | them • that | dwell • there- |
 -in.

35 Again, he maketh the **wilderness** a | stand- • -ing |
 water ||
 || and **water-springs** | of • a | dry • — | ground.

36 And **there** he | setteth • the | hungry ||
 || that **they** may | build them • a | city • to |
 dwell in;

37 That they may sow their **land** and | plant • — |
 vineyards ||
 || **to** | yield • them | fruits • of | increase.

38 He blesseth them, so that they **multi-** | -ply • ex- |
 -ceedingly ||
 || and suffereth **not** their | cat- • -tle | to • de- | -crease.

39 And again, when they are **minished** and |
 brought • — | low ||
 || through **oppression** through | a- • -ny | plague • or |
 trouble;

40 Though he suffer them to be evil in- |
 -treated • through | tyrants ||
 || and let them wander **out** of the | way • — |
 in • the | wilderness;

41 Yet helpeth he the **poor** | out • of | misery ||
 || and maketh him **households** | like • a | flock • of |
 sheep.

Man's lesson.

42 The righteous will consider **this** | and • re- | -joice ||
 || and the **mouth** of all | wicked- • -ness |
 shall • be | stopped.

43 Whoso is **wise** will | ponder • these | things ||
 || and they shall understand the **loving-** |
 -kind- • -ness | of • the | Lord.

GLORIA.

Evening Prayer

PSALM 108. *Paratum cor meum.*

(57. 8—12; and 60. 5—12.)

Thanksgiving for deliverance.

O GOD my heart is **ready** my | heart • is | ready ||
 || I will sing and give praise with the **best** |
 mem- • -ber | that • I | have.

2 Awake thou | lute • and | harp ||
 || I myself | will • a- | -wake • right | early.

3 I will give thanks unto thee O **Lord** a- | -mong • the |
people ||
|| I will sing **praises** unto | thee • a- | -mong • the |
nations.
4 For thy **mercy** is **greater** | than • the | **heavens** ||
|| and thy **truth** | reach- • -eth | unto • the | **clouds**.
2nd part 5 Set up thyself O **God** a- | -bove • the | **heavens** ||
|| and thy **glory** a- | -bove • — | all • the | **earth**.
6 That thy **beloved** may | be • de- | -livered ||
|| let thy right hand **save** | them • and | hear • thou |
me.

An ancient song of triumph.

7 God hath **spoken** | in • his | **holiness** ||
|| I will rejoice therefore and divide Sichem, and
mete | out • the | **valley** • of | Succoth.
8 Gilead is **mine** and Ma- | -nasses • is | **mine** ||
|| Ephraim also **is** the | **strength** • — | of • my | **head**.
9 Judah is my law-giver, **Moab** | is • my | **wash-pot** ||
|| over Edom will I cast out my shoe, **upon** Phi- |
-lis- • -tia | will • I | **triumph**.

Prayer in present need.

10 Who will lead me **into** the | **strong** • — | **city** ||
|| and **who** will | bring • me | in- • -to | **Edom**?
11 Hast not thou forsaken us | O • — | **God** ||
|| and wilt not thou O **God** go | forth • — |
with • our | **hosts**?
12 O **help** us a- | -gainst • the | **enemy** ||
|| for **vain** | is • the | **help** • of | **man**.
13 Through **God** we shall | do • great | **acts** ||
|| and it is **he** that | shall • tread | down • our |
enemies.

GLORIA.

PSALM 109. *Deus laudum.*

The complaint of the persecuted.

HOLD not thy tongue O **God** | of • my | **praise** ||
|| for the mouth of the ungodly, yea the **mouth**
of the de- | -ceitful • is | opened • up- | -on me.
2 And they have spoken **against** me with | **false** • — |
tongues ||
|| they compassed me about also with words of
hatred, and fought **against** | me • with- |
-out • a | cause.

3 For the love that I had unto them, lo they take
 now my | contra- • -ry | part ||
 || but I | give my- • -self | un- • -to | prayer.
 4 Thus have they rewarded me | evil • for | good ||
 || and | hatred • for | my • good | will.

The curses of the ungodly.

5 Set thou an ungodly man to be **ruler** | o- • -ver |
 him ||
 || and let **Satan** | stand • at | his • right | hand.
 6 When sentence is given upon him, **let** him |
 be • con- | -demned ||
 || and let his **prayer** be | turn- • -ed | in- • -to | sin.
 7 **Let** his | days • be | few ||
 || and **let** an- | -o- • -ther | take • his | office.
 8 **Let** his | children • be | fatherless ||
 || and | — • his | wife • a | widow.
 9 Let his children be **vagabonds** and | beg • their |
 bread ||
 || let them seek it **also** | out • of | deso- • -late | places.
 10 Let the extortioner **consume** | all that • he | hath ||
 || and **let** the | stran- • -ger | spoil • his | labour.
 11 Let there be **no** man to | pi- • -ty | him ||
 || nor to have **compassion** up- | -on • his |
 father- • -less | children.
 12 Let his **posterity** | be • de- | -stroyed ||
 || and in the next generation **let** his | name • be |
 clean • put | out.
 13 Let the wickedness of his fathers be had in remem-
 brance in the **sight** | of • the | Lord ||
 || and let not the **sin** of his | mother • be |
 done • a- | -way.
 14 Let them alway **be** be- | -fore • the | Lord ||
 || that he may root out the **memorial** of |
 them • from | off • the | earth;
 15 And that, because his **mind** was | not to • do |
 good ||
 || but persecuted the poor helpless man, that he
 might slay **him** that was | vex- • -ed | at • the |
 heart.
 16 His delight was in cursing, and it shall **happen** |
 un- • -to | him ||
 || he loved not blessing, **therefore** shall | it • be |
 far • from | him.

17 He clothed himself with cursing, like as | with • a | raiment ||

|| and it shall come into his bowels like water and like | oil • — | into • his | bones.

18 Let it be unto him as the cloke that he | hath • up- | on him ||

|| and as the girdle that he is | al- • -way | girded • with- | -al.

The reply of the afflicted.

19 Let it thus happen from the Lord | unto • mine | enemies ||

|| and to those that speak | evil • a- | -against • my | soul.

20 But deal thou with me O Lord God, according | unto • thy | Name ||

|| for | sweet • — | is • thy | mercy.

21 O deliver me, for I am | helpless • and | poor ||

|| and my | heart • is | wounded • with- | -in me.

22 I go hence like the shadow | that • de- | -parteth ||

|| and am driven a- | -way • — | as • the | grasshopper.

23 My knees are | weak • through | fasting ||

|| my flesh is dried | up • for | want • of | fatness.

24 I became also a reproach | un- • -to | them ||

|| they that looked up- | on • me | shaked • their | heads.

25 Help me O | Lord • my | God ||

|| O save me ac- | -cord- • -ing | to • thy | mercy ;

26 And they shall know how that this is | thy • — | hand ||

|| and that | thou • — | Lord • hast | done it.

27 Though they curse yet | bless • — | thou ||

|| and let them be confounded that rise up against me, but | let • thy | servant • re- | -joice.

28 Let mine adversaries be | clothed • with | shame ||

|| and let them cover themselves with their own con- | -fu- • -sion | as • with a | cloke.

Trust in the Lord.

29 As for me, I will give great thanks unto the Lord | with • my | mouth ||

|| and praise | him • a- | -mong • the | multitude ;

30 For he shall stand at the right hand | of • the | poor ||

|| to save his soul | from • un- | -right- • -eous |

judges.

GLORIA.

Morning Prayer

PSALM 110. *Dixit Dominus.*

The Divine King.

THE **Lord** said | unto • my | Lord ||
 || Sit thou on my right hand, until I make
 thine | en- • -em- | -ies • thy | footstool.
 2 The Lord shall send the rod of thy **power** | out • of |
 Sion ||
 || be thou ruler, even in the | midst • a- |
 -mong • thine | enemies.

The Divine High Priest.

3 In the day of thy power shall the people offer thee
 free-will offerings **with** an | ho- • -ly | worship ||
 || the dew of thy birth is **of** the | womb • — |
 of • the | morning.
 4 The Lord **swore** and will | not • re- | -pent ||
 || Thou art a Priest for ever after the | or- • -der |
 of • Mel- | -chisedech.

The Divine Conqueror.

5 The **Lord** upon | thy • right | hand ||
 || shall wound even **kings** in the | day • — |
 of • his | wrath.
 6 He shall judge among the heathen, he shall fill
 the **places** with the | dead • — | bodies ||
 || and smite in sunder the **heads** | o- • -ver |
 di- • -vers | countries.
 7 He shall drink of the **brook** | in • the | way ||
 || **therefore** shall he | lift • — | up • his | head.

GLORIA.

PSALM 111. *Confitebor tibi.*

Thanks to God for His works.

I **WILL** give thanks unto the **Lord** with my |
 whole • — | heart ||
 || secretly among the **faithful** and | in • the |
 con- • -gre- | -gation.
 2 The **works** of the | Lord • are | great ||
 || sought out of all **them** | that • have |
 pleasure • there- | -in.

3 His work is worthy to be **praised** and | had • in | honour ||
 || and his **righteous**- | -ness • en- | -dureth • for | ever.
 4 The merciful and gracious Lord hath so **done** his | marvel- • -lous | works ||
 || that they **ought** to be | had • — | in • re- | -membrance.

His providence.

5 He hath given **meat** unto | them • that | fear him ||
 || he shall **ever** be | mind- • -ful | of • his | covenant.
 6 He hath shewed his people the **power** | of • his | works ||
 || that he may **give** them the | heri- • -tage | of • the | heathen.
 7 The works of his **hands** are | verity • and | judgement ||
 || **all** | his • com- | -mandments • are | true.
 8 They stand **fast** for | ever • and | ever ||
 || **and** are | done • in | truth • and | equity.

His revelation.

9 He sent **redemption** | unto • his | people ||
 || he hath commanded his covenant for ever, **holy** and | rev- • -erend | is • his | Name.
 10 The fear of the **Lord** is the be- | -ginning • of | wisdom ||
 || a good understanding have all they that do there-
 after, the **praise** of | it • en- | -dureth • for | ever.

GLORIA.

PSALM 112. *Beatus vir.*

The blessedness of the righteous in his fortunes
 and in his doings.

BLESSED is the **man** that | feareth • the | Lord ||
 || he hath **great** de- | -light • in | his • com- | -mandments.
 2 His seed shall be **mighty** up- | -on • — | earth ||
 || the generation of the | faith- • -ful | shall • be | blessed.
 3 Riches and plenteousness shall **be** | in • his | house ||
 || and his **righteous**- | -ness • en- | -dureth • for | ever.

4 Unto the godly there ariseth up **light** | in • the | darkness ||
 || **he** is | merci- • -ful | loving • and | righteous.

5 A good man is **merci-** | -ful • and | lendeth ||
 || and will **guide** his | words • — | with • dis- | -cretion.

6 For **he** shall | never • be | moved ||
 || and the righteous shall be **had** in | ev- • -er- | -lasting • re- | -membrance.

7 He will not be **afraid** of any | e- • -vil | tidings ||
 || for his heart standeth **fast** and be- | -liev- • -eth | in • the | Lord.

8 His heart is established and | will • not | shrink ||
 || until he **see** his de- | -sire • up- | -on • his | enemies.

9 He hath dispersed abroad, and **given** | to • the | poor ||
 || and his righteousness remaineth for ever, his
horn shall | be • ex- | -alted • with | honour.

10 The ungodly shall **see** it and | it • shall | grieve him ||
 || he shall gnash with his teeth and consume away,
 the **desire** of the un- | -god- • -ly | shall • — | perish.

GLORIA.

PSALM 113. *Laudate, pueri.*

Call to the praise of the Lord,

PRAISE the | Lord • ye | servants ||
 || O **praise** the | Name • — | of • the | Lord.

2 Blessed be the **Name** | of • the | Lord ||
 || from **this** time | forth • for | ev- • -er- | -more.

3 The **Lord's** | Name • is | praised ||
 || from the rising up of the sun unto the **going** |
 down • — | of • the | same.

majestic in His glory,

4 The Lord is **high** a- | -bove • all | heathen ||
 || **and** his | glory • a- | -bove • the | heavens.

5 Who is like unto the Lord our God, that **hath** his |
 dwelling • so | high ||
 || and yet humbleth himself to behold the **things**
 that | are • in | heaven • and | earth ?

loving to the humble.

6 He taketh up the **simple** | out of • the | dust ||
 || and **lifteth** the | poor • — | out of • the | mire ;

7 That he may **set** him | with • the | **princes** ||
 || even **with** the | **prin-** • -ces | of • his | **people**.
 8 He maketh the barren **woman** to | **keep** • — | **house** ||
 || and to **be** a | **joy** • -ful | **mother** • of | **children**.

GLORIA.

Evening Prayer

PSALM 114. *In exitu Israel.*

The wonders of the Exodus.

WHEN Israel **came** | out • of | Egypt ||
 || and the house of Jacob **from** a- |
 -mong • the | **strange** • — | **people**,
 2 **Judah** | was • his | **sanctuary** ||
 || **and** | Isra- • -el | his • do- | -minion.
 3 The **sea** saw | that • and | **fled** ||
 || **Jordan** | was • — | **driv-** • -en | **back**.
 4 The **mountains** | **skipped** • like | **rams** ||
 || and the **little** | **hills** • like | **young** • — | **sheep**.
 5 What aileth thee O thou **sea** | that • thou | **fledest** ||
 || and thou **Jordan** that | thou • **wast** | **driv-** • -en |
 -back?
 6 Ye **mountains**, **that** ye | **skipped** • like | **rams** ||
 || and ye **little** | **hills** • like | **young** • — | **sheep**?
 7 Tremble thou earth at the **presence** | of • the | **Lord** ||
 || at the **presence** | of • the | **God** • of | Jacob;
 8 Who turned the hard rock **into** a | **stand-** • -ing | **water** ||
 || and the **flint**-stone | **into** • a | **spring** • -ing | **well**.

GLORIA.

PSALM 115. *Non nobis, Domine.*

National deliverance.

NOT unto us O Lord, not unto us, but unto thy
Name | give • the | **praise** ||
 || for thy loving **mercy** and | for • thy | **truth**'s • — |
 sake.
 2 **Wherefore** shall the | **hea-** • -then | **say** ||
 || **Where** | — • is | now • their | **God** ?

The vanity of idols.

3 As for our **God** | he • is in | **heaven** ||
 || he hath done **whatso-** | -ev- • -er | **plea-** • -sed | **him**.

4 Their **idols** are | silver • and | gold ||
 || even the | work • of | men's • — | hands.
 5 **They** have | mouths • and | speak not ||
 || **eyes** | have • — | they • and | see not.
 6 **They** have | ears • and | hear not ||
 || **noses** | have • — | they • and | smell not.
 7 They have hands and handle not, **feet** have |
 they • and | walk not ||
 || **neither** | speak • they | through • their | throat.
 8 They that make them are **like** | un- • -to | them ||
 || and so are all **such** as | put • their | trust • in |
 them.

Trust in the Lord!

9 But thou house of Israel, **trust** thou | in • the | Lord ||
 || **he** is their | suc- • -cour | and • de- | -fence.
 10 Ye house of Aaron, put your **trust** | in • the | Lord ||
 || **he** is their | help- • -er | and • de- | -fender.
 11 Ye that fear the Lord, put your **trust** | in • the |
 Lord ||
 || **he** is their | help- • -er | and • de- | -fender.

Confidence.

12 The Lord hath been mindful of **us** and | he • shall |
 bless us ||
 || even he shall bless the house of Israel, **he** shall |
 bless • the | house • of | Aaron.
 13 He shall bless **them** that | fear • the | Lord ||
 || **both** | small • — | and • — | great.

The Divine promise.

14 The Lord shall **increase** you | more • and | more ||
 || **you** | and • — | your • — | children.
 15 Ye are the **blessed** | of • the | Lord ||
 || **who** | made • — | heaven • and | earth.

Praise.

16 All the whole **heavens** | are • the | Lord's ||
 || the earth hath he **given** | to • the | children • of |
 men.
 17 The dead **praise** not | thee • O | Lord ||
 || neither all **they** that go | down • — | in- • -to |
 silence.
 18 But **we** will | praise • the | Lord ||
 || from this time forth for ever**more** | Praise • — |
 — • the | Lord.

GLORIA.

Morning Prayer

PSALM 116. *Dilexi, quoniam.*

Deliverance in answer to prayer.

1 AM | well • — | pleased ||
 || that the Lord hath **heard** the | voice • — |
 of • my | prayer;

2 That he hath inclined his **ear** | un- • -to | me ||
 || therefore will I call upon **him** as | long • — |
 as • I | live.

3 The snares of death **compassed** me | round • a- |
 -bout ||
 || and the **pains** of | hell • gat | hold • up- | -on me.

4 I shall find trouble and heaviness, and I will call
 upon the **Name** | of • the | Lord ||
 || O Lord I **beseech** | thee • de- | -liver • my | soul.

5 Gracious **is** the | Lord • and | righteous ||
 || **yea** our | God • is | mer- • -ci- | -ful.

6 The **Lord** pre- | -serveth • the | simple ||
 || I was in **misery** | and • he | help- • -ed | me.

7 Turn again then unto thy **rest** | O • my | soul ||
 || for the **Lord** | hath • re- | -ward- • -ed | thee.

8 And why, thou hast delivered my | soul • from |
 death ||
 || mine eyes from **tears** | and • my | feet • from |
 falling.

9 I will **walk** be- | -fore • the | Lord ||
 || **in** the | land • — | of • the | living.

10 I believed and therefore will I speak, **but** I was |
 sore • — | troubled ||
 || I said in my **haste** | All • — | men • are | liars.

Thanksgiving of devout service.

11 What reward shall I **give** | unto • the | Lord ||
 || for all the benefits that **he** hath | done • — |
 un- • -to | me?

12 I will receive the **cup** | of • sal- | -vation ||
 || and **call** upon the | Name • — | of • the | Lord.

13 I will pay my vows now in the **presence** of |
 all • his | people ||
 || right dear in the sight of the **Lord** is the |
 death • — | of • his | saints.

14 Behold O Lord, how that I | am • thy | servant ||
 || I am thy servant and the son of thine handmaid,
 thou hast | broken • my | bonds • in | sunder.

15 I will offer to thee the sacrifice of | thanks- • — |
 -giving ||
 || and will call upon the | Name • — | of • the | Lord.

16 I will pay my vows unto the Lord, in the sight of |
 all • his | people ||
 || in the courts of the Lord's house, even in the
 midst of thee O Jerusalem | Praise • — |
 — • the | Lord. GLORIA.

PSALM 117. *Laudate Dominum.*

Praise the Lord.

O PRAISE the Lord | all • ye | heathen ||
 || praise | — • him | all • ye | nations.

2 For his merciful kindness is ever more and |
 more • — | towards us ||
 || and the truth of the Lord endureth for ever |
 Praise • — | — • the | Lord. GLORIA.

PSALM 118. *Confitemini Domino.*

All men praise the Lord.

O GIVE thanks unto the Lord for | he • is |
 gracious ||
 || because his | mercy • en- | -dureth • for | ever.

2 Let Israel now confess that | he • is | gracious ||
 || and that his | mercy • en- | -dureth • for | ever.

3 Let the house of Aaron | now • con- | -fess ||
 || that his | mercy • en- | -dureth • for | ever.

4 Yea, let them now that fear the | Lord • con- | -fess ||
 || that his | mercy • en- | -dureth • for | ever.

Personal trust.

5 I called upon the | Lord • in | trouble ||
 || and the Lord | heard • — | me • at | large.

6 The Lord is | on • my | side ||
 || I will not fear what | man • doeth | un- • -to | me.

7 The Lord taketh my part with | them • that |
 help me ||
 || therefore shall I see my de- | -sire • up- |
 -on • mine | enemies.

2nd part

8 It is better to **trust** | in • the | Lord ||
 || than to **put** any | con- • -fid- | -ence • in | man.
 9 It is better to **trust** | in • the | Lord ||
 || than to **put** any | con- • -fid- | -ence • in | princes.

Deliverance accomplished.

10 All nations **compassed** me | round • a- | -bout ||
 || but in the **Name** of the | Lord • will | I • de- |
 -stroy them.
 11 They kept me in on every side, they kept me in
 I **say** on | ev- • -ery | side ||
 || but in the **Name** of the | Lord • will | I • de- |
 -stroy them.
 12 They came about me like bees, and are extinct
 even as the **fire** a- | -mong • the | thorns ||
 || for in the **Name** of the | Lord • I | will • de- |
 -stroy them.
 13 Thou hast thrust **sore** at me that | I • might | fall ||
 || **but** the | Lord • — | was • my | help.
 2nd part 14 The Lord is my **strength** | and • my | song ||
 || **and** is be- | -come • — | my • sal- | -vation.

Joy out of chastening.

15 The voice of joy and health is in the **dwellings** |
 of • the | righteous ||
 || the right hand of the **Lord** bringeth | might- • -y |
 things • to | pass.
 16 The right hand of the **Lord** | hath the • pre- |
 -eminence ||
 || the right hand of the **Lord** bringeth | might- • -y |
 things • to | pass.
 17 I **shall** not | die • but | live ||
 || and **declare** the | works • — | of • the | Lord.
 18 The Lord hath **chastened** and cor- | -rect- • -ed | me ||
 || but he hath not given me | o- • -ver | un- • -to |
 death.

Solemn thanksgiving.

19 **Open** me the | gates • of | righteousness ||
 || that I may go into them, **and** give | thanks • — |
 unto • the | Lord.
 20 This is the **gate** | of • the | Lord ||
 || the **righteous** shall | en- • -ter | in- • -to | it.
 21 I will **thank** thee for | thou • hast | heard me ||
 || and **art** be- | -come • — | my • sal- | -vation.

22 The same **stone** which the | builders • re- | -fused ||
 || is **become** the | head- -stone | in • the | corner.

23 **This** is the | Lord's • — | doing ||
 || **and** it is | mar- • -vellous | in • our | eyes.

24 This is the **day** which the | Lord • hath | made ||
 || we will **rejoice** | and • be | glad • in | it.

25 **Help** me now | O • — | Lord ||
 || O **Lord** | send • us | now • pro- | -sperity.

26 Blessed be he that cometh in the **Name** | of • the |
 Lord ||
 || we have wished you good luck, ye that are **of**
 the | house • — | of • the | Lord.

27 God is the **Lord** who hath | shewed • us | light ||
 || bind the sacrifice with cords, yea even **unto** the |
 horns • — | of • the | altar.

28 Thou art my **God** and | I • will | thank thee ||
 || **thou** art my | God • and | I • will | praise thee.

29 O give thanks unto the **Lord** for | he • is | gracious ||
 || and **his** | mercy • en- | -dureth • for | ever.

GLORIA.

Evening Prayer

PSALM 119. *Beati immaculati.*

The praises and the observance of God's law.

BLESSED are those that are undefiled | in • the |
 way ||
 || and **walk** in the | law • — | of • the | Lord.

2 Blessed are **they** that | keep • his | testimonies ||
 || and **seek** him | with • their | whole • — | heart.

3 For **they** who | do • no | wickedness ||
 || **walk** | — • — | in • his | ways.

4 **Thou** | hast • — | charged ||
 || that we shall **diligently** | keep • — | thy • com- |
 -mandments.

5 O that my ways were **made** | so • di- | -rect ||
 || **that** | I • might | keep • thy | statutes!

6 So shall I **not** | be • con- | -founded ||
 || while I have **respect** unto | all • — | thy • com- |
 -mandments.

7 I will thank thee with an un- | -feign- • -ed | heart ||
 || when I shall have learned the | judge- • -ments |
 of • thy | righteousness.
 8 I will | keep • thy | ceremonies ||
 || O for- | -sake • me | not • — | utterly.

GLORIA.

In quo corriget?

WHEREWITHAL shall a young man |
 cleanse • his | way ||
 || even by ruling himself | af- • -ter | thy • — | word.
 10 With my whole heart | have • I | sought thee ||
 || O let me not go wrong | out • of | thy • com- |
 -mandments.
 11 Thy words have I hid with- | -in • my | heart ||
 || that I | should • not | sin • a- | -gainst thee.
 12 Blessed art | thou • O | Lord ||
 || O | teach • — | me • thy | statutes.
 13 With my lips have | I • been | telling ||
 || of all the | judge- • -ments | of • thy | mouth.
 14 I have had as great delight in the way | of • thy |
 testimonies ||
 || as | in • all | manner • of | riches.
 15 I will talk of | thy • com- | -mandments ||
 || and have re- | -spect • — | unto • thy | ways.
 16 My delight shall be | in • thy | statutes ||
 || and I will | not • for- | -get • thy | word.

GLORIA.

Retribue servo tuo.

O DO well | unto • thy | servant ||
 || that I may | live • and | keep • thy | word.
 18 Open | thou • mine | eyes ||
 || that I may see the wondrous | things • — |
 of • thy | law.
 19 I am a stranger up- | -on • — | earth ||
 || O hide not | thy • com- | -mand- • -ments |
 from me.
 20 My soul breaketh out for the very | fervent • de- |
 -sire ||
 || that it hath | al- • -way | unto • thy | judgements.

21 **Thou** hast re- | buked • the | proud ||
 || and cursed are **they** that do | err • from |
 thy • com- | -mandments.

22 O turn from me **shame** | and • re- | -buke ||
 || **for** | I • have | kept • thy | testimonies.

23 Princes also did **sit** and | speak • a- | -against me ||
 || but thy **servant** is | occu- • -pied | in • thy |
 statutes.

24 For thy **testimonies** are | my • de- | -light ||
 || **and** | — • — | my • — | counsellors.

GLORIA.

Adhæsit pavimento.

MY soul **cleaveth** | to • the | dust ||
 || O quicken thou **me** ac- | -cord- • -ing |
 to • thy | word.

26 I have acknowledged my **ways** and thou |
 heard- • -est | me ||
 || **O** | teach • — | me • thy | statutes.

27 Make me to understand the **way** of | thy • com- |
 -mandments ||
 || and so shall I **talk** | of • thy | won- • -drous |
 works.

28 My soul melteth **away** for | ve- • -ry | heaviness ||
 || comfort thou **me** ac- | -cord- • -ing | unto • thy |
 word.

29 Take from **me** the | way • of | lying ||
 || and cause thou me to **make** | much • — |
 of • thy | law.

30 I have **chosen** the | way • of | truth ||
 || and thy **judgements** | have • I | laid • be- |
 -fore me.

31 I have **stuck** | unto • thy | testimonies ||
 || **O** | Lord • con- | -found • me | not.

32 I will run the **way** of | thy • com- | -mandments ||
 || **when** thou hast | set • my | heart • at | liberty.

GLORIA.

Morning Prayer

Legem pone.

The praises and the observance of God's law.

TEACH me O Lord the **way** | of • thy | statutes ||
 || and **I** shall | keep • it | unto • the | end.

34 Give me understanding, and **I** shall | keep • thy |
 law ||
 || yea I shall **keep** it | with • my | whole • — |
 heart.

35 Make me to go in the **path** of | thy • com- |
 -mandments ||
 || **for** there- | -in • is | my • de- | -sire.

36 Incline my **heart** | unto • thy | testimonies ||
 || **and** | not • to | covet- • -ous- | -ness.

37 O turn away mine eyes, **lest** they be- | -hold • — |
 vanity ||
 || and **quicken** thou | me • — | in • thy | way.

38 O stablish thy **word** | in • thy | servant ||
 || **that** | I • may | fear • — | thee.

39 Take away the **rebuke** that I | am • a- | -fraid of ||
 || **for** thy | judge- • -ments | are • — | good.

40 Behold, my **delight** is in | thy • com- | -mandments ||
 || **O** | quicken • me | in • thy | righteousness.

GLORIA.

Et veniat super me.

LET thy loving mercy come also **unto** | me • O |
 Lord ||
 || even thy salvation ac- | -cord- • -ing | unto • thy |
 word.

42 So shall I make answer **unto** | my • blas- |
 -phemers ||
 || **for** my | trust • is | in • thy | word.

43 O take not the word of thy truth **utterly** |
 out of • my | mouth ||
 || **for** my | hope • is | in • thy | judgements.

44 So shall I **alway** | keep • thy | law ||
 || **yea** for | ev- • -er | and • — | ever.

45 And **I** will | walk • at | liberty ||
 || **for** I | seek • — | thy • com- | -mandments.

46 I will speak of thy testimonies also, even before • — | kings ||
 || and | will • not | be • a- | -shamed.

47 And my delight shall be in | thy • com- | -mandments ||
 || which | I • — | have • — | loved.

48 My hands also will I lift up unto thy commandments
 which | I • have | loved ||
 || and my study shall | be • in | thy • — | statutes.

GLORIA. •

Memor esto servi tui.

O THINK upon thy servant as concerning • thy | word ||
 || wherein thou hast caused | me • to | put • my | trust.

50 The same is my comfort | in • my | trouble ||
 || for thy | word • hath | quick- • -ened | me.

51 The proud have had me exceedingly | in • de- | -rision ||
 || yet have I not | shrink- • -ed | from • thy | law.

52 For I remembered thine everlasting | judgements • O | Lord ||
 || and | — • re- | -ceiv- • -ed | comfort.

53 I am horri- | -bly • a- | -fraid ||
 || for the ungodly | that • for- | -sake • thy | law.

54 Thy statutes have | been • my | songs ||
 || in the | house • — | of • my | pilgrimage.

55 I have thought upon thy Name O **Lord** in the |
 night- • — | -season ||
 || and | — • have | kept • thy | law.

56 **This** | I • — | had ||
 || because I | kept • — | thy • com- | -mandments.

GLORIA.

Portio mea, Domine.

THOU art my | portion • O | Lord ||
 || I have | promised • to | keep • thy | law.

58 I made my humble petition in thy presence
 with my | whole • — | heart ||
 || O be merciful unto me ac- | -cord- • -ing |
 to • thy | word.

59 I called mine own **ways** | to • re- | -membrance ||
 || and **turned** my | feet • — | unto • thy |
 testimonies.

60 I made haste, and **prolonged** | not • the | time ||
 || **to** | keep • — | thy • com- | -mandments.

61 The congregations of the **ungodly** have | rob- • -bed |
 me ||
 || but **I** have | not • for- | -gotten • thy | law.

62 At midnight I will rise to give **thanks** | un- • -to |
 thee ||
 • || **because** | of • thy | right- • -eous | judgements.

63 I am a companion of **all** | them • that | fear thee ||
 || **and** | keep • — | thy • com- | -mandments.

64 The earth O Lord is **full** | of • thy | mercy ||
 || **O** | teach • — | me • thy | statutes.

GLORIA.

Bonitatem fecisti.

O LORD thou hast dealt **graciously** | with • thy |
 servant ||
 || **ac-** | -cord- • -ing | unto • thy | word.

66 O learn me **true** under- | -standing • and |
 knowledge ||
 || for **I** have be- | -liev- • -ed | thy • com- |
 -mandments.

67 Before I was **troubled** I | went • — | wrong ||
 || but **now** | have • I | kept • thy | word.

68 **Thou** art | good • and | gracious ||
 || **O** | teach • — | me • thy | statutes.

69 The proud have **imagined** a | lie • a- | -against me ||
 || but I will keep thy **commandments** | with • my |
 whole • — | heart.

70 Their **heart** is as | fat • as | brawn ||
 || but my **delight** hath | been • — | in • thy | law.

71 It is good for me that **I** have | been • in | trouble ||
 || **that** | I • may | learn • thy | statutes.

72 The law of thy mouth is **dearer** | un- • -to | me ||
 || **than** | thousands • of | gold • and | silver.

GLORIA.

Evening Prayer

Manus tuæ fecerunt me.

The praises and the observance of God's law.

THY hands have **made** me and | fa- • -shioned |
me ||

|| O give me understanding, that **I** may | learn • — |
thy • com- | -mandments.

74 They that fear thee will be **glad** | when • they |
see me ||

|| because I have **put** my | trust • — | in • thy | word.

75 I know O **Lord** that thy | judgements • are | right ||
|| and that thou of very **faithfulness** hast |
caused • me | to • be | troubled.

76 O let thy merciful **kindness** | be • my | comfort ||

|| according to thy | word • — | unto • thy | servant.

77 O let thy loving mercies come unto **me** that |
I • may | live ||

|| **for** thy | law • is | my • de- | -light.

78 Let the proud be confounded, for they go wickedly
about | to • de- | -stroy me ||

|| but I will be **occu-** | -pied • in | thy • com- |
-mandments.

79 Let such as fear thee and have | known • thy |
testimonies ||

|| **be** | turn- • -ed | un- • -to | me.

80 O let my heart be **sound** | in • thy | statutes ||
|| **that** | I • be | not • a- | -shamed.

GLORIA.

Defecit anima mea.

MY soul hath **longed** for | thy • sal- | -vation ||
|| and I have a good **hope** be- | -cause • of |
thy • — | word.

82 Mine eyes long **sore** | for • thy | word ||
|| saying, O **when** | wilt • thou | com- • -fort | me ?

83 For I am become like a **bottle** | in • the | smoke ||
|| **yet** do I | not • for- | -get • thy | statutes.

84 How many are the **days** | of • thy | servant ||
|| when wilt thou be **avenged** of | them • that |
perse- • -cute | me ?

85 The proud have **digged** | pits • for | me ||
 || **which** | are • not | after • thy | law.
 86 **All** thy com- | -mandments • are | true ||
 || they persecute me **falsely** | O • be | thou • my |
 help.
 87 They had almost made an end of **me** up- |
 -on • — | earth ||
 || **but** I for- | -sook • not | thy • com- | -mandments.
 88 O quicken me **after** thy | lov- • -ing- | -kindness ||
 || and so shall I **keep** the | testi- • -monies |
 of • thy | mouth.

GLORIA.

In æternum, Domine.

O | LORD • thy | word ||
 || **en-** | -dureth • for | ever • in | heaven.
 90 Thy truth also remaineth from one generation |
 to • an- | -other ||
 || thou hast laid the foundation of the | earth • and |
 it • a- | -bideth.
 91 They continue this day according to | thine • — |
 ordinance ||
 || **for** | all • things | serve • — | thee.
 92 If my delight had not **been** | in • thy | law ||
 || **I** should have | perish- • -ed | in • my | trouble.
 93 I will never **forget** | thy • com- | -mandments ||
 || for with **them** | thou • hast | quick- • -ened | me.
 94 **I** am | thine • O | save me ||
 || **for** I have | sought • — | thy • com- | -mandments.
 95 The ungodly laid **wait** for me | to • de- | -stroy me ||
 || but **I** | will • con- | -sider • thy | testimonies.
 96 I see that **all** things | come • to an | end ||
 || but thy **commandment** | is • ex- | -ceed- • -ing |
 broad.

GLORIA.

Quomodo dilexi!

LORD what **love** have I | unto • thy | law ||
 || all the day **long** | is • my | stu- • -dy | in it.
 98 Thou through thy commandments hast made
 me **wiser** | than • mine | enemies ||
 || **for** | they • are | ev- • -er | with me.
 99 I have more **understanding** | than • my | teachers ||
 || **for** thy | testi- • -monies | are • my | study.

100 I am wiser | than • the | aged ||
 || because I | keep • — | thy • com- | -mandments.

101 I have refrained my feet from every | e- • -vil | way ||
 || that | I • may | keep • thy | word.

102 I have not **shrunk** | from • thy | judgements ||
 || for | thou • — | teach- • -est | me.

103 O how sweet are thy **words** | unto • my | throat ||
 || yea **sweeter** than | ho- • -nay | unto • my | mouth.

104 Through thy commandments I **get** | un- • -der- |
 -standing ||
 || **therefore** I | hate • all | e- • -vil | ways.

GLORIA.

Morning Prayer

Lucerna pedibus meis.

The praises and the observance of God's law.

THY word is a **lantern** | unto • my | feet ||
 || **and** a | light • — | unto • my | paths.

106 I have **sworn** and am | stedfast- • -ly | purposed ||
 || **to** | keep • thy | right- • -eous | judgements.

107 I am **troubled** a- | -bove • — | measure ||
 || quicken me O **Lord** ac- | -cord- • -ing | to • thy | word.

108 Let the free-will offerings of my mouth **please** |
 thee • O | Lord ||
 || **and** | teach • — | me • thy | judgements.

109 My soul is **alway** | in • my | hand ||
 || **yet** do I | not • for- | -get • thy | law.

110 The ungodly have **laid** a | snare • for | me ||
 || but yet I **swerved** | not • from | thy • com- |
 -mandments.

111 Thy testimonies have I claimed as mine **herit-** |
 -age • for | ever ||
 || and why, they are the **very** | joy • — | of • my |
 heart.

112 I have applied my heart to **fulfil** thy | sta- • -tutes |.
 alway ||
 || even | un- • — | -to • the | end.

GLORIA.

Iniquos odio habui.

I HATE them that imagine | e- • -vil | things ||
 || but thy | law • — | do • I | love.
 114 Thou art **my** de- | -fence • and | shield ||
 || **and** my | trust • is | in • thy | word.
 115 Away from | me • ye | wicked ||
 || I will **keep** the com- | -mand- • -ments | of • my |
 God.
 116 O stablish me according to thy **word** that |
 I • may | live ||
 || and let me not be disap- | -point- • -ed | of • my |
 hope.
 117 Hold thou me **up** and I | shall • be | safe ||
 || yea, my **delight** shall be | ev- • -er | in • thy |
 statutes.
 118 Thou hast trodden down all them that **depart** |
 from • thy | statutes ||
 || **for** they i- | -ma- • -gine | but • de- | -ceit.
 119 Thou puttest away all the ungodly of the |
 earth • like | dross ||
 || **there-** | -fore • I | love • thy | testimonies.
 120 My flesh **trembleth** for | fear • of | thee ||
 || and **I** am a- | -fraid • — | of • thy | judgements.

GLORIA.

Feci judicium.

I DEAL with the **thing** that is | lawful • and |
 right ||
 || O give me not **over** | un- • -to | mine • op- |
 -pressors.
 122 Make thou thy servant to **delight** in |
 that • which is | good ||
 || that the **proud** | do • me | no • — | wrong.
 123 Mine eyes are wasted away with **looking** | for • thy |
 health ||
 || **and** for the | word • — | of • thy | righteousness.
 124 O deal with thy servant according **unto** thy |
 lov- • -ing | mercy ||
 || **and** | teach • — | me • thy | statutes.
 125 I am thy servant, O grant me | un- • -der- |
 -standing ||
 || **that** | I • may | know • thy | testimonies.

126 It is time for thee Lord, to **lay** | to • thine | hand ||
 || **for** they | have • de- | -stroyed • thy | law.
 127 For I **love** | thy • com- | -mandments ||
 || **above** | gold • and | pre- • -cious | stone.
 128 Therefore hold I **straight** all | thy • com- |
 -mandments ||
 || and all false **ways** I | ut- • -ter- | -ly • ab- | -hor.

GLORIA.

Mirabilia.

THY testimonies are | won- • -der- | -ful ||
 || **therefore** | doth • my | soul • — | keep them.
 130 When thy **word** | go- • -eth | forth ||
 || it giveth light and **under-** | -stand- • -ing |
 unto • the | simple.
 131 I opened my **mouth** and drew | in • my | breath ||
 || for my **delight** | was • in | thy • com- | -mandments.
 132 O look thou upon me, and be **merciful** | un- • -to |
 me ||
 || as thou usest to do **unto** | those • that |
 love • thy | Name.
 133 Order my **steps** | in • thy | word ||
 || and so shall no wickedness **have** do- |
 -min- • -ion | o- • -ver | me.
 134 O deliver me from the **wrongful** | dealings • of |
 men ||
 || and **so** shall I | keep • — | thy • com- | -mandments.
 135 Shew the light of thy **countenance** up- | -on • thy |
 servant ||
 || **and** | teach • — | me • thy | statutes.
 136 Mine **eyes** gush | out • with | water ||
 || **because** men | keep • not | thy • — | law.

GLORIA.

Justus es, Domine.

RIGHTEOUS art | thou • O | Lord ||
 || **and** | true • — | is • thy | judgement.
 138 The testimonies that **thou** | hast • com- | -manded ||
 || **are** ex- | -ceed- • -ing | righteous • and | true.
 139 My zeal hath even con- | -su- • -med | me ||
 || **because** mine **enemies** | have • for- | -gotten • thy |
 words.

140 Thy word is tried | to • the | uttermost ||
 || and thy | ser- • -vant | lov- • -eth | it.
 141 I am small and of no | re- • -put- | -ation ||
 || yet do I not for- | -get • — | thy • com- |
 -mandments.
 142 Thy righteousness is an ever- | -last- • -ing |
 righteousness ||
 || and thy | law • — | is • the | truth.
 143 Trouble and heaviness have taken | hold • up- |
 -on me ||
 || yet is my de- | -light • in | thy • com- | -mandments.
 144 The righteousness of thy testimonies is | ev- • -er- |
 -lasting ||
 || O grant me under- | -standing • and | I • shall |
 live.

GLORIA.

Evening Prayer

Clamavi in toto corde meo.

The praises and the observance of God's law.

I CALL with my | whole • — | heart ||
 || hear me O Lord | I • will | keep • thy |
 statutes.
 146 Yea even unto thee | do • I | call ||
 || help me and | I • shall | keep • thy | testimonies.
 147 Early in the morning do I cry | un- • -to | thee ||
 || for in thy | word • — | is • my | trust.
 148 Mine eyes prevent the | night- • — | -watches ||
 || that I might be | occu- • -pied | in • thy | words.
 149 Hear my voice O Lord, according unto thy |
 lov- • -ing- | -kindness ||
 || quicken me ac- | -cording • as | thou • art | wont.
 150 They draw nigh that of malice | perse- • -cute |
 me ||
 || and are | far • — | from • thy | law.
 151 Be thou nigh at | hand • O | Lord ||
 || for all | thy • com- | -mandments • are | true.
 152 As concerning thy testimonies, I have | known • long |
 since ||
 || that thou hast | ground- • -ed | them • for | ever.

GLORIA.

Vide humilitatem.

O CONSIDER mine adversity, and de- |
 -li- • -ver | me ||
 || **for** I do | not • for- | -get • thy | law.
 154 Avenge thou my **cause** and de- | -li- • -ver | me ||
 || **quicken** me ac- | -cord- • -ing | to • thy | word.
 155 Health is **far** from | the • un- | -godly ||
 || **for** they re- | -gard • — | not • thy | statutes.
 156 **Great** is thy | mercy • O | Lord ||
 || **quicken** | me • as | thou • art | wont.
 157 Many there are that **trouble** me and | perse- • -cute |
 me ||
 || **yet** do **I** not | swerve • — | from • thy |
 testimonies.
 158 It grieveth me when I **see** | the • trans- |
 -gressors ||
 || **because** they | keep • — | not • thy | law.
 159 Consider O Lord how I **love** | thy • com- |
 -mandments ||
 || O quicken me according | to • thy | lov- • -ing- |
 -kindness.
 160 Thy word is **true** from | ev- • -er- | -lasting ||
 || all the judgements of thy **righteousness** en- |
 -dure • for | ev- • -er- | -more.

GLORIA.

Principes persecuti sunt.

PRINCES have persecuted **me** with- | -out • a |
 cause ||
 || but my heart **standeth** in | awe • — | of • thy |
 word.

162 I am as **glad** | of • thy | word ||
 || as **one** that | find- • -eth | great • — | spoils.
 163 As for lies, I **hate** | and • ab- | -hor them ||
 || **but** thy | law • — | do • I | love.
 164 Seven times a **day** | do • I | praise thee ||
 || **because** | of • thy | right- • -eous | judgements.
 165 Great is the peace that **they** have who | love • thy |
 law ||
 || **and** they are | not • of- | -fend- • -ed | at it.

166 Lord I have **looked** for thy | sav- • -ing | health ||
 || and **done** | af- • -ter | thy • com- | -mandments.

167 My **soul** hath | kept • thy | testimonies ||
 || **and** | lov- • -ed | them • ex- | -ceedingly.

168 I have **kept** thy com- | -mandments • and |
 testimonies ||
 || for **all** my | ways • — | are • be- | -fore thee.

GLORIA.

Appropinquet deprecatio.

LET my complaint come **before** | thee • O | Lord ||
 || give me **understanding** ac- | -cord- • -ing |
 to • thy | word.

170 Let my **supplication** | come • be- | -fore thee ||
 || **deliver** me ac- | -cord- • -ing | to • thy | word.

171 My lips shall **speak** | of • thy | praise ||
 || **when** thou hast | taught • — | me • thy | statutes.

172 Yea, my tongue shall **sing** | of • thy | word ||
 || for **all** | thy • com- | -mandments • are | righteous.

173 **Let** | thine • hand | help me ||
 || **for** I have | cho- • -sen | thy • com- | -mandments.

174 I have longed for thy **saving** | health • O | Lord ||
 || and **in** thy | law • is | my • de- | -light.

175 O let my soul **live** and | it • shall | praise thee ||
 || **and** thy | judge- • -ments | shall • — | help me.

176 I have gone astray like a **sheep** | that • is | lost ||
 || O seek thy servant, for I do **not** for- | -get • — |
 thy • com- | -mandments.

GLORIA.

*Morning Prayer*PSALM 120. *Ad Dominum.*

Past deliverance a ground of prayer.

WHEN I was in trouble I **called** up- | -on • the |
 Lord ||
 || **and** | he • — | heard • — | me.

2 Deliver my soul O **Lord** from | ly- • -ing | lips ||
 || **and** | from a • de- | -ceit- • -ful | tongue.

3 What reward shall be given or done unto **thee**
 thou | false • — | tongue ||
 || even mighty and sharp **arrows** with | hot • — |
 burn- • -ing | coals.

Evil neighbours.

4 Woe is me, that I am constrained to | dwell • with |
 Mesech ||
 || and to have my habitation a- | -mong • the |
 tents • of | Kedar.

5 My soul hath long dwelt a- | -mong • — | them ||
 || that are | en- • -emies | un- • -to | peace.

6 I labour for peace, but when I speak unto |
 them • there- | -of ||
 || they | make • them | ready • to | battle.

GLORIA.

PSALM 121. *Levavi oculos.*

The pilgrim's faith.

1 I WILL lift up mine eyes | unto • the | hills ||
 || from | whence • — | cometh • my | help.
 2 My help cometh even | from • the | Lord ||
 || who hath | made • — | heaven • and | earth.

Divine promises.

3 He will not suffer thy foot | to • be | moved ||
 || and he that | keepeth • thee | will • not | sleep.
 4 Behold, he that keepeth | Is- • -ra- | -el ||
 || shall | nei- • -ther | slumber • nor | sleep.
 5 The Lord himself | is • thy | keeper ||
 || the Lord is thy defence up- | -on • thy | right • — |
 hand;
 6 So that the sun shall not burn | thee • by | day ||
 || neither the | moon • — | by • — | night.
 7 The Lord shall preserve thee from | all • — | evil ||
 || yea it is even he | that • shall | keep • thy | soul.
 8 The Lord shall preserve thy going out and thy |
 com- • -ing | in ||
 || from this time | forth • for | ev- • -er- | -more.

GLORIA.

PSALM 122. *Lætatus sum.*

Jerusalem the centre of unity.

1 I WAS glad when they said | un- • -to | me ||
 || We will go into the | house • — | of • the | Lord.
 2 Our feet shall stand | in • thy | gates ||
 || o | — • Je- | -ru- • -sa- | -lem.

3 Jerusalem is **built** | as • a | city ||
 || that **is** at | uni- • -ty | in • it- | -self.
 4 For thither the tribes go up, even the **tribes** |
 of • the | Lord ||
 || to testify unto Israel, to give **thanks** unto the |
 Name • — | of • the | Lord.
2nd part 5 For **there** is the | seat • of | judgement ||
 || even the **seat** | of • the | house • of | David.

Peace be upon her!

6 O pray for the **peace** | of • Je- | -rusalem ||
 || **they** shall | prosper • that | love • — | thee.
 7 **Peace** be with- | -in • thy | walls ||
 || and **plenteous**- | -ness • with- | -in • thy | palaces.
 8 For my **brethren** and com- | -pan- • -ions' | sakes ||
 || **I** will | wish • — | thee • pro- | -sperity.
 9 Yea, because of the **house** of the | Lord • our | God ||
 || **I** will | seek • to | do • thee | good. GLORIA.

PSALM 123. *Ad te levavi oculos meos.*

Confidence.

UNTO **thee** lift I | up • mine | eyes ||
 || **O thou** that | dwel- • -lest | in • the | heavens.
 2 Behold even as the eyes of servants look unto the
 hand of their masters, and as the eyes of a
 maiden unto the **hand** | of • her | mistress ||
 || even so our eyes wait upon the Lord our God,
 until | he • have | mercy • up- | -on us.

Prayer.

3 Have mercy upon us O **Lord** have | mercy • up- |
 -on us ||
 || **for** we are | ut- • -ter- | -ly • de- | -spised.
 4 Our soul is filled with the scornful **reproof** | of • the |
 wealthy ||
 || and **with** the de- | -spiteful- • -ness | of • the | proud.
 GLORIA.

PSALM 124. *Nisi quia Dominus.*

Crisis of peril.

IF the Lord himself had not been on our side,
now may | Isra- • -el | say ||
 || if the Lord himself had not been on our **side**
 when | men • rose | up • a- | -against us;

2 They had swallowed | us • up | quick ||
 || when they were so wrathful- | -ly • dis- |
 -pleas- • -ed | at us.
 3 Yea, the waters had | drown- • -ed | us ||
 || and the stream had | gone • — | over • our | soul.
 4 The deep waters | of • the | proud ||
 || had gone | e- • -ven | over • our | soul.

Deliverance.

5 But praised | be • the | Lord ||
 || who hath not given us over for a | prey • — |
 unto • their | teeth.
 6 Our soul is escaped even as a bird out of the snare |
 of • the | fowler ||
 || the snare is broken and | we • — | are • de- | -livered.
 7 Our help standeth in the Name | of • the | Lord ||
 || who hath | made • — | heaven • and | earth.

GLORIA.

PSALM 125. *Qui confidunt.*

Safety in the Lord.

THEY that put their trust in the Lord shall be
 even as the | mount • — | Sion ||
 || which may not be removed but | stand- • -eth |
 fast • for | ever.
 2 The hills stand a- | -bout • Je- | -rusalem ||
 || even so standeth the Lord round about his people,
 from this time | forth • for | ev- • -er- | -more.
 3 For the rod of the ungodly cometh not into the lot |
 of • the | righteous ||
 || lest the righteous put their | hand • — | un- • -to |
 wickedness.

Prayer for retribution.

4 Do | well • O | Lord ||
 || unto those that are | good • and | true • of | heart.
 5 As for such as turn back unto their | own • — |
 wickedness ||
 || the Lord shall lead them forth with the evildoers,
 but peace shall | be up- • -on | Is- • -ra- | -el.

GLORIA.

Evening Prayer

PSALM 126. *In convertendo.*

Thanksgiving for return from exile.

WHEN the Lord turned again the captivi- |
-ty • of | Sion ||

|| then were we **like** | un- • -to | them • that | dream.

2 Then was our **mouth** | filled • with | laughter ||

|| **and** our | tongue • — | with • — | joy.

3 Then said **they** a- | -mong • the | heathen ||

|| The Lord hath **done** | great • — | things • for | them.

4 Yea the Lord hath done **great** things for | us • al- |
-ready ||

|| **where-** | -of • — | we • re- | -oice.

Prayer for its fulfilment.

5 Turn our captivity | O • — | Lord ||

|| **as** the | ri- • -vers | in • the | south.

6 **They** that | sow • in | tears ||

|| **shall** | reap • — | in • — | joy.

7 He that now goeth on his way weeping, and
beareth | forth • good | seed ||

|| shall doubtless come again with **joy** and |
bring • his | sheaves • — | with him.

GLORIA.

PSALM 127. *Nisi Dominus.*

No blessing without the Lord.

EXCEPT the **Lord** | build • the | house ||

|| their **labour** | is • but | lost • that | build it.

2 Except the **Lord** | keep • the | city ||

|| the **watchman** | wa- • -keth | but • in | vain.

3 It is but lost labour that ye haste to rise up early
and so late take rest, and **eat** the | bread • of |
carefulness ||

|| for so he **giveth** | his • be- | -lov- • -ed | sleep.

Children His gift.

4 Lo children and the **fruit** | of • the | womb ||

|| are an heritage and **gift** that | com- • -eth |
of • the | Lord.

5 Like as the arrows in the **hand** | of • the | giant ||
 || even **so** | are • the | young • — | children.
 6 Happy is the man that hath his **quiver** | full • of |
 them ||
 || they shall not be ashamed when they **speak**
 with their | ene- • -mies | in • the | gate.

GLORIA.

PSALM 128. *Beati omnes.*

The happiness of the righteous

BLESSED are all **they** that | fear • the | Lord ||
 || and | walk • — | in • his | ways.
 2 For thou shalt eat the **labours** | of • thine | hands ||
 || O well is **thee** and | hap- • -py | shalt • thou | be.
 in house and
 3 Thy wife shall **be** as the | fruit- • -ful | vine ||
 || upon the | walls • — | of • thine | house.
 4 Thy children **like** the | o- • -live- | -branches ||
 || round | — • a- | -bout • thy | table.
 5 Lo **thus** shall the | man • be | blessed ||
 || **that** | fear- • — | -eth • the | Lord.
 country.
 6 The Lord from out of **Sion** | shall • so | bless thee ||
 || that thou shalt see Jerusalem in **prosperity** |
 all • thy | life • — | long.
 7 Yea that thou shalt **see** thy | chil- • -dren's |
 children ||
 || **and** | peace up- • -on | Is- • -ra- | -el.

GLORIA.

PSALM 129. *Sæpe expugnaverunt.*

The experience of Israel.

MANY a time have they fought against me
 from my | youth • — | up ||
 || **may** | Isra- • -el | now • — | say.
 2 Yea many a time have they vexed me **from** my |
 youth • — | up ||
 || **but** they have | not • pre- | -vailed • a- | -gainst me.
 3 The plowers **plowed** up- | -on • my | back ||
 || **and** | made • — | long • — | furrows.

4 **But** the | right- • -eous | Lord ||
 || hath hewn the **snares** of | the • un- | -godly • in |
 pieces.

Prayer for the overthrow of enemies.

5 Let them be confounded and | turn- • -ed |
 backward ||
 || as many as **have** | e- • -vil | will • at | Sion.
 6 Let them be even as the grass growing up- |
 -on • the | house-tops ||
 || which withereth afore | it • be | pluck- • -ed | up;
 7 Whereof the mower **filleth** | not • his | hand ||
 || neither he that **bindeth** | up • the | sheaves • his |
 bosom.
 8 So that they who go by say not so much as,
 The **Lord** | pros- • -per | you ||
 || we wish you good **luck** in the | Name • — |
 of • the | Lord. GLORIA.

PSALM 130. *De profundis.*

Prayer and

1 **O** UT of the deep have I **called** unto | thee • O |
 Lord ||
 || **Lord** | hear • — | my • — | voice.
 2 O let thine **ears** con- | -si- • -der | well ||
 || **the** | voice • of | my • com- | -plaint.
 3 If thou Lord wilt be extreme to **mark** what is |
 done • a- | -miss ||
 || O **Lord** | who • — | may • a- | -bide it?
 4 **For** there is | mercy • with | thee ||
 || **therefore** | shalt • — | thou • be | feared.

trust.

5 I look for the **Lord**, my **soul** doth | wait • for |
 him ||
 || **in** his | word • — | is • my | trust.
 6 My soul **feeth** | unto • the | **Lord** ||
 || before the morning watch I **say** be- | -fore • the |
 morn- • -ing | watch.
 7 O Israel trust in the **Lord**, for with the **Lord** |
 there • is | mercy ||
 || **and** with | him • is | plenteous • re- | -demption.
 8 And he shall redeem | Is- • -ra- | -el ||
 || **from** | all • — | his • — | sins. GLORIA.

PSALM 131. *Domine, non est.*

Childlike humility.

LORD I am | not • high- | -minded ||
 || I have | no • — | proud • — | looks.
 2 I do not exercise myself in | great • — | matters ||
 || which | are • too | high • for | me.
 3 But I refrain my soul and keep it low, like as a
 child that is **weaned** | from • his | mother ||
 || yea my soul is even | as • a | wean- • -ed | child.
 4 O Israel, **trust** | in • the | Lord ||
 || from **this** time | forth • for | ev- • -er- | -more.

GLORIA.

Morning Prayer

PSALM 132. *Memento, Domine.*

The vow of David and its fulfilment.

LORD re- | -mem- • -ber | David ||
 || and | all • — | his • — | trouble;
 2 How he **swore** | unto • the | Lord ||
 || and vowed a vow **unto** the Al- | -mighty • -y |
 God • of | Jacob;
 3 I will not come within the **tabernacle** | of • mine |
 house ||
 || **nor** | climb • up | into • my | bed;
 4 I will not suffer mine eyes to **sleep** nor mine |
 eyelids • to | slumber ||
 || neither the temples of my **head** to | take • — |
 a- • -ny | rest;
 5 Until I find out a place for the **temple** | of • the | Lord ||
 || an habitation for the | might- • -y | God • of | Jacob.
 6 Lo we **heard** of the | same • at | Ephrata ||
 || **and** | found • it | in • the | wood.
 7 We will **go** | into • his | tabernacle ||
 || and fall **low** on our | knees • be- | -fore • his |
 footstool.

Prayer for the Divine Presence.

8 Arise O **Lord** | into • thy | resting-place ||
 || **thou** and the | ark • — | of • thy | strength.
 9 Let thy **priests** be | clothed • with | righteousness ||
 || and **let** thy | saints • — | sing • with | joyfulness.

10 For thy servant | Da- • -vid's | sake ||
 || turn not away the | presence • of | thine • An- |
 -ointed.

The permanence of the Divine kingdom and of

11 The Lord hath made a faithful oath | un- • -to |
 David ||

|| and he | shall • not | shrink • — | from it;

12 Of the fruit | of • thy | body ||

|| shall I | set • up- | -on • thy | seat.

13 If thy children will keep my covenant and my
 testimonies that | I • shall | learn them ||
 || their children also shall sit upon thy | seat • for |
 ev- • -er- | -more.

the Divine sanctuary,

14 For the Lord hath chosen Sion to be an habitation |
 for • him- | -self ||

|| he hath | long- • -ed | for • — | her.

15 This shall be my | rest • for | ever ||
 || here will I dwell, for I | have a • de- |
 -light • there- | -in.

16 I will bless her | victuals • with | increase ||
 || and will satis- | -fy • her | poor • with | bread.

17 I will deck her | priests • with | health ||
 || and her saints | shall • re- | -oice • and | sing.

through the Lord's providence.

18 There shall I make the horn of | David • to | flourish ||
 || I have ordained a | lantern • for | mine • An- |
 -ointed.

19 As for his enemies, I shall clothe | them • with |
 shame ||

|| but upon himself | shall • his | crown • — | flourish.

GLORIA.

PSALM 133. *Ecce, quam bonum!*

The blessedness of brotherly unity.

BEHOLD, how good and joyful a | thing • it | is ||
 || brethren to | dwell • to- | -gether • in | unity!

2 It is like the precious ointment upon the head,
 that ran down | unto • the | beard ||

|| even unto Aaron's beard, and went down
 to the | skirts • — | of • his | clothing.

3 Like as the | dew • of | Hermon ||
 || which fell up- | -on • the | hill • of | Sion.
 4 For there the **Lord** | promised • his | blessing ||
 || and | life • for | ev- • -er- | -more.

GLORIA.

PSALM 134. *Ecce nunc.*

Greeting to the watchers.

BEHOLD now | praise • the | Lord ||
 || all ye | ser- • -vants | of • the | Lord ;
 2 Ye that by night stand in the **house** | of • the |
 Lord ||
 || even in the **courts** of the | house • of | our • — |
 God.
 3 Lift up your **hands** | in • the | sanctuary ||
 || and | praise • — | — • the | Lord.

Answer.

4 The Lord that **made** | heaven • and | earth ||
 || **give** thee | bles- • -sing | out • of | Sion.

GLORIA.

PSALM 135. *Laudate Nomen.*

Praise the Lord.

OPRAISE the Lord, laud ye the **Name** |
 of • the | Lord ||
 || praise it, **O** ye | ser- • -vants | of • the | Lord ;
 2 Ye that stand in the **house** | of • the | Lord ||
 || in the **courts** of the | house • of | our • — | God.
 3 O praise the **Lord** for the | Lord • is | gracious ||
 || O sing praises **unto** his | Name • for | it • is |
 lovely.
 4 For why, the **Lord** hath chosen **Jacob** |
 unto • him- | -self ||
 || and **Israel** | for • his | own • pos- | -session.

for His works in nature and

5 For I **know** that the | Lord • is | great ||
 || and that our **Lord** | is • a- | -bove • all | gods.
 6 Whatsoever the **Lord** pleased, that did he in
 heaven | and • in | earth ||
 || and in the sea | and • in | all • deep | places.

7 He bringeth forth the clouds from the ends |
of • the | world ||
|| and sendeth forth lightnings with the rain,
bringing the | winds • — | out of • his |
treasures.

history;

8 He **smote** the | first-born • of | Egypt ||
|| **both** of | man • — | and • — | beast.

9 He hath sent tokens and wonders into the midst
of thee O thou | land • of | Egypt ||
|| upon | Pharaoh • and | all • his | servants.

10 He **smote** | di- • -vers | nations ||
|| **and** | slew • — | might- • -y | kings;

11 Sehon king of the Amorites, and **Og** the |
king • of | Basan ||
|| **and** | all • the | kingdoms • of | Canaan;

12 And gave their **land** to | be • an | heritage ||
|| even an heritage **unto** | Is- • -ra- | -el • his | people.

in contrast with idols.

13 Thy Name O **Lord** en- | -dureth • for | ever ||
|| so doth thy memorial O Lord, from **one** gener- |
-a- • -tion | to • an- | -other.

14 For the **Lord** will a- | -venge • his | people ||
|| **and** be | gra- • -cious | unto • his | servants.

15 As for the images of the heathen, **they** are
but | silver • and | gold ||
|| **the** | work • of | men's • — | hands.

16 **They** have | mouths • and | speak not ||
|| **eyes** | have • they | but • they | see not.

17 They have **ears** and | yet • they | hear not ||
|| neither is there **any** | breath • — | in • their | mouths.

18 They that make them are **like** | un- • -to | them ||
|| and so are all **they** that | put • their | trust • in |
them.

Praise the Lord.

19 Praise the Lord ye **house** of | Is- • -ra- | -el ||
|| **praise** the | Lord • ye | house • of | Aaron.

20 Praise the **Lord** ye | house • of | Levi ||
|| ye that **fear** the | Lord • — | praise • the | Lord.

21 Praised be the **Lord** | out • of | Sion ||
|| **who** | dwel- • -leth | at • Je- | -rusalem.

GLORIA.

Evening Prayer

PSALM 136. *Confitemini.*

Thanksgiving

O GIVE thanks unto the **Lord** for | he • is |
gracious ||

|| and his | mercy • en- | -dureth • for | ever.

2 **O** give thanks unto the **God** | of • all | gods ||

|| for his | mercy • en- | -dureth • for | ever.

3 **O** thank the **Lord** | of • all | lords ||

|| for his | mercy • en- | -dureth • for | ever.

for God's works in creation,

4 Who **only** | doeth • great | wonders ||

|| for his | mercy • en- | -dureth • for | ever.

5 Who by his excellent **wisdom** | made • the | heavens ||

|| for his | mercy • en- | -dureth • for | ever.

6 Who laid out the **earth** a- | -bove • the | waters ||

|| for his | mercy • en- | -dureth • for | ever.

7 **Who** hath | made • great | lights ||

|| for his | mercy • en- | -dureth • for | ever;

8 The **sun** to | rule • the | day ||

|| for his | mercy • en- | -dureth • for | ever;

9 The moon and the **stars** to | govern • the | night ||

|| for his | mercy • en- | -dureth • for | ever.

for the deliverance from Egypt,

10 Who smote **Egypt** | with • their | first-born ||

|| for his | mercy • en- | -dureth • for | ever;

11 And brought out **Israel** | from • a- | -mong them ||

|| for his | mercy • en- | -dureth • for | ever;

12 With a mighty **hand** and | stretched • out | arm ||

|| for his | mercy • en- | -dureth • for | ever.

13 Who divided the Red **sea** in | two • — | parts ||

|| for his | mercy • en- | -dureth • for | ever;

14 And made Israel to **go** through the | midst • of | it ||

|| for his | mercy • en- | -dureth • for | ever.

15 But as for Pharaoh and his host, he **overthrew**

them in the | Red • — | sea ||

|| for his | mercy • en- | -dureth • for | ever.

for the conquest of Canaan,

16 Who led his people | through • the | wilderness ||
 || **for** his | mercy • en- | -dureth • for | ever.
 17 Who **smote** | great • — | kings ||
 || **for** his | mercy • en- | -dureth • for | ever.
 18 Yea, and **slew** | might- • -y | kings ||
 || **for** his | mercy • en- | -dureth • for | ever;
 19 **Sehon** | king • of the | Amorites ||
 || **for** his | mercy • en- | -dureth • for | ever;
 20 And **Og** the | king • of | Basan ||
 || **for** his | mercy • en- | -dureth • for | ever;
 21 And gave away their **land** | for • an | heritage ||
 || **for** his | mercy • en- | -dureth • for | ever;
 22 Even for an heritage unto **Isra-** | -el • his | servant ||
 || **for** his | mercy • en- | -dureth • for | ever.

for constant mercies.

23 Who remembered us **when** we | were • in | trouble ||
 || **for** his | mercy • en- | -dureth • for | ever;
 24 And hath delivered us | from • our | enemies ||
 || **for** his | mercy • en- | -dureth • for | ever.
2nd part 25 Who giveth **food** to | all • — | flesh ||
 || **for** his | mercy • en- | -dureth • for | ever.

Thanksgiving.

26 O give thanks **unto** the | God • of | heaven ||
 || **for** his | mercy • en- | -dureth • for | ever.
 27 O give thanks **unto** the | Lord • of | lords ||
 || **for** his | mercy • en- | -dureth • for | ever.

GLORIA.

PSALM 137. *Super flumina.*

The exiles and their conquerors.

BY the waters of Babylon we **sat** | down • and |
 wept ||
 || **when** we re- | -mem- • -bered | thee • O | Sion.
 2 As for our **harps** we | hanged • them | up ||
 || **upon** the | trees • that | are • there- | -in.
 3 For they that led us away captive required of us
 then a song, and **melody** | in • our | heaviness ||
 || **Sing** us | one • of the | songs • of | Sion.

The answer of the exiles.

- 4 How shall we **sing** the | Lord's • — | song ||
|| **in** | — • a | strange • — | land?
- 5 If I **forget** thee | O • Je- | -rusalem ||
|| **let** my right | hand • for- | -get • her | cunning.
- 6 If I do not remember thee, let my tongue cleave
to the **roof** | of • my | mouth ||
|| yea, if I prefer not Je- | -rusa- • lem | in • my |
mirth.

Cry for retribution.

- 7 Remember the children of Edom O Lord, in
the **day** | of • Je- | -rusalem ||
|| how they said, Down with it, **down** with it |
e- • -ven | to • the | ground.
- 8 O daughter of **Babylon** | wasted • with | misery ||
|| yea happy shall he be that rewardeth **thee** as |
thou • hast | serv- • -ed | us.
- 9 Blessed shall he be that | taketh • thy | children ||
|| and **throweth** | them • a- | -gainst • the | stones.

GLORIA.

PSALM 138. *Confitebor tibi.*

The thanksgiving of the Psalmist, and

- I** WILL give thanks unto thee O **Lord** with my |
whole • — | heart ||
|| even before the gods will I **sing** | praise • — |
un- • -to | thee.
- 2 I will worship toward thy holy temple and praise thy
Name, because of thy **loving-** | -kindness • and |
truth ||
|| for thou hast magnified thy **Name** and thy |
Word • a- | -bove • — | all things.
- 3 When I called upon **thee** thou | heard- • -est | me ||
|| and enduedst my | soul • with | much • — |
strength.

of the kings of the earth hereafter.

- 4 All the kings of the earth shall **praise** | thee • O |
Lord ||
|| for they have **heard** the | words • — | of • thy |
mouth.
- 5 Yea they shall sing in the **ways** | of • the | Lord ||
|| that **great** is the | glo- • -ry | of • the | Lord.

6 For though the Lord be high, yet hath he respect |
unto • the | lowly ||
|| as for the proud, he beholdeth | them • a- |
-far • — | off.

Confidence.

7 Though I walk in the midst of trouble, yet shalt |
thou • re- | -fresh me ||
|| thou shalt stretch forth thy hand upon the
furiousness of mine **enemies** and | thy • right |
hand • shall | save me.
8 The Lord shall make good his **loving-** |
-kind- • -ness | toward me ||
|| yea thy mercy O Lord endureth for ever, despise
not then the **works** | of • thine | own • — |
hands.

GLORIA.

Morning Prayer

PSALM 139. *Domine, probasti.*

The omniscience of God.

O LORD thou hast **searched** me | out • and |
known me ||
|| thou knowest my down-sitting and mine up-rising,
thou **understandest** my | thoughts • — |
long • be- | -fore.
2 Thou art about my **path** and a- | -bout • my | bed ||
|| **and** | spiest • out | all • my | ways.
3 For lo, there is not a **word** | in • my | tongue ||
|| but thou O **Lord** | knowest • it | al- • -to- | -gether.
4 Thou hast **fashioned** me **behind** | and • be- | -fore ||
|| **and** | laid • thine | hand • up- | -on me.
2nd part 5 Such knowledge is too **wonderful** and |
excel- • -lent | for me ||
|| I **cannot** at- | -tain • — | un- • -to | it.

The omnipresence of God.

6 Whither shall I **go** then | from • thy | Spirit ||
|| or **whither** shall I | go • then | from • thy |
presence ?
7 If I climb up into **heaven** | thou • art | there ||
|| if I go down to **hell** | thou • art | there • — |
also.

8 If I take the **wings** | of • the | morning ||
 || and remain in the **uttermost** | parts • — |
 of • the | sea ;

9 Even there **also** shall | thy • hand | lead me ||
 || **and** | thy • right | hand • shall | hold me.

10 If I say, Peradventure the **darkness** shall |
 co- • -ver | me ||
 || **then** shall my | night • be | turned • to | day.

11 Yea the darkness is no darkness with thee, but the
 night is as **clear** | as • the | day ||
 || the darkness and **light** to | thee • are | both • a- |
 -like.

His creative power.

12 **For** my | reins • are | thine ||
 || thou hast **covered** me | in • my | mo- • -ther's |
 womb.

13 I will give thanks unto thee, for I am fearfully and
wonder- | -ful- • -ly | made ||
 || marvellous are thy works, and **that** my | soul • — |
 knoweth • right | well.

14 My **bones** are not | hid • from | thee ||
 || though I be made secretly, and **fashioned** be- |
 -neath • — | in • the | earth.

15 Thine eyes did see my substance **yet** | being • im- |
 -perfect ||
 || and in thy **book** were | all • my | mem- • -bers |
 written ;

16 Which **day** by | day • were | fashioned ||
 || when as **yet** | there • was | none • of | them.

17 How dear are thy counsels **unto** | me • O | God ||
 || O how **great** | is • the | sum • of | them !

18 If I tell them they are more in **number** |
 than • the | sand ||
 || when I wake **up** | I • am | present • with | thee.

His righteous judgment.

19 Wilt thou not **slay** the | wicked • O | God ||
 || depart from **me** ye | blood- • — | -thirst- • -y |
 men.

20 For they speak **unrighteously** a- | -gainst • — |
 thee ||
 || and thine **enemies** | take • thy | Name • in |
 vain.

21 Do not I hate them O **Lord** that I hate • — |
thee ||
|| and am not I grieved with **those** that |
rise • — | up • a- | -against thee?
22 Yea I **hate** | them • right | sore ||
|| even as | though • they | were • mine | enemies.
23 Try me O God, and seek the **ground** | of • my |
heart ||
|| **prove** me | and • ex- | -amine • my | thoughts.
24 Look well if there be any **way** of | wicked- • -ness |
in • me ||
|| and **lead** me in the | way • — | ev- • -er- | -lasting.

GLORIA.

PSALM 140. *Eripe me, Domine.*

Prayer for protection against foes without.

DELIVER me O **Lord** from the | e- • -vil | man ||
|| and **preserve** me | from • the | wick- • -ed |
man.
2 Who imagine **mischief** | in • their | hearts ||
|| and **stir** up | strife • — | all the • day | long.
3 They have sharpened their **tongues** | like • a |
serpent ||
|| **adder's** | poison • is | under • their | lips.
4 Keep me O **Lord** from the **hands** of |
the • un- | -godly ||
|| **preserve** me from the wicked men, who are
purposed to | o- • -ver- | -throw • my | goings.
5 The proud have laid a snare for me, and spread a
net a- | -broad • with | cords ||
|| **yea** and set | traps • — | in • my | way.

Confession and prayer.

6 I said unto the **Lord**, **Thou** | art • my | **God** ||
|| hear the **voice** | of • my | **prayers** • O | **Lord**.
7 O **Lord** **God**, thou **strength** | of • my | **health** ||
|| thou hast covered my **head** | in • the | day • of |
battle.
8 Let not the ungodly **have** his de- | -sire • O |
Lord ||
|| let not his mischievous imagination **prosper** |
lest • they | be • too | proud.

9 Let the mischief of their own lips **fall** upon
the | head • of | them ||
|| **that** | com- • -pass | me • a- | -bout.
10 Let hot burning **coals** | fall • up- | -on them ||
|| let them be cast into the fire and into the pit,
that they **never** | rise • — | up • a- | -gain.
11 A man full of words shall not **prosper**
up- | -on • the | earth ||
|| evil shall hunt the **wicked** | person • to |
o- • -ver- | -throw him.

Confidence.

12 Sure I am that the **Lord** will a- | -venge • the |
poor ||
|| and **maintain** the | cause • — | of • the | helpless.
13 The righteous also shall give **thanks** | unto • thy |
Name ||
|| and the **just** shall con- | -ti- • -nue | in • thy |
sight.

GLORIA.

PSALM 141. *Domine, clamavi.*

Prayer for holiness.

LORD I call upon thee, **haste** thee | un- • -to |
me ||
|| and consider my **voice** when I | cry • — | un- • -to |
thee.
2 Let my prayer be set forth in thy **sight** |
as • the | incense ||
|| and let the lifting up of my **hands** | be • an |
eve- • -ning | sacrifice.
3 Set a watch **O Lord** be- | -fore • my | mouth ||
|| and **keep** the | door • — | of • my | lips.
4 **O** let not mine heart be inclined to **any** |
e- • -vil | thing ||
|| let me not be occupied in ungodly works with
the men that work wickedness, lest I **eat** of
such | things • as | please • — | them.

Discipline.

5 Let the righteous **rather** | smite • me | friendly ||
|| **and** | — • re- | -prove • — | me.

6 But let not their precious **balms** | break • my |
head ||
|| yea I will **pray** | yet • a- | -gainst • their |
wickedness.

7 Let their judges be overthrown in | sto- • -ny |
places ||
|| that they may **hear** my | words • for |
they • are | sweet.

8 Our bones lie **scattered** be- | -fore • the | pit ||
|| like as when one breaketh and **heweth** |
wood • up- | -on • the | earth.

Trust.

9 But mine eyes look unto **thee** O | Lord • — | God ||
|| in thee is my **trust** O | cast • not | out • my |
soul.

10 Keep me from the snare that **they** have |
laid • for | me ||
|| and from the **traps** | of • the | wick- • -ed | doers.

11 Let the ungodly fall into their **own** | nets • to- |
-gether ||
|| **and** let | me • — | ever • e- | -scape them.

GLORIA.

Evening Prayer

PSALM 142. *Voce mea ad Dominum.*

The Lord the only refuge.

I CRIED unto the **Lord** | with • my | voice ||
|| yea, even unto the **Lord** did I | make • my |
sup- • -plic- | -ation.

2 I poured **out** my com- | -plaints • be- | -fore him ||
|| **and** | shewed • him | of • my | trouble.

3 When my spirit was in heaviness **thou** |
knewest • my | path ||
|| in the way wherein I walked have they **privily** |
laid • a | snare • for | me.

4 I looked **also** upon my | right • — | hand ||
|| **and** **saw** there was | no • man | that • would |
know me.

5 I had **no** place to | flee • — | unto ||
|| **and** **no** man | ca- • -red | for • my | soul.

The suppliant's petitions.

6 I cried unto **thee** O | Lord • and | said ||
 || Thou art my hope and my portion **in** the |
 land • — | of • the | living.
 7 Consider | my • com- | -plaint ||
 || **for** I am | brought • — | ve- • -ry | low.
 8 O deliver me | from • my | persecutors ||
 || **for** they | are • too | strong • for | me.
 9 Bring my soul out of prison, that I may
 give **thanks** | unto • thy | Name ||
 || which thing if thou wilt grant me, then shall
 the **righteous** re- | -sort • — | unto • my |
 company.

GLORIA.

PSALM 143. *Domine, exaudi.*

Prayer to the Lord in distress,

HEAR my prayer O Lord, and consider |
 my • de- | -sire ||
 || hearken unto **me** for thy | truth • and |
 righteous- • -ness' | sake.
 2 And enter not into **judgement** | with • thy | servant ||
 || **for** in **thy** sight shall | no • man | living • be |
 justified.
 3 For the enemy hath persecuted my soul, he hath
 smitten my **life** | down • to the | ground ||
 || he hath laid me in the darkness, as the **men** |
 that • have | been • long | dead.
 4 Therefore is my **spirit** | vexed • with- | -in me ||
 || **and** my | heart • with- | -in me • is | desolate.
 5 Yet do I remember the time past, I **muse**
 upon | all • thy | works ||
 || yea I exercise **myself** in the | works • — |
 of • thy | hands.
 6 I stretch forth my **hands** | un- • -to | thee ||
 || my soul gaspeth unto **thee** | as • a | thirst- • -y |
 land.

for deliverance and guidance.

7 Hear me O Lord and that soon, for my **spirit** |
 wax- • -eth | faint ||
 || hide not thy face from me, lest I be like unto
them that go | down • — | into • the | pit.

8 O let me hear thy loving-kindness betimes in the morning, for in **thee** | is • my | trust ||
 || shew thou me the way that I should walk in, for I lift **up** my | soul • — | un- • -to | thee.

9 Deliver me O **Lord** | from • mine | enemies ||
 || for I **flee** | un- • -to | thee • to | hide me.

10 Teach me to do the thing that pleaseth thee,
 for **thou** | art • my | God ||
 || let thy loving Spirit lead me **forth** | into • the |
 land • of | righteousness.

11 Quicken me O **Lord** for thy | Name's • — | sake ||
 || and for thy righteousness' sake **bring** my |
 soul • — | out • of | trouble.

12 And of thy **goodness** | slay • mine | enemies ||
 || and destroy all them that vex my **soul** | for • I |
 am • thy | servant.

GLORIA.

Morning Prayer

PSALM 144. *Benedictus Dominus.*

The greatness of God and the littleness of men.

BLESSED be the | Lord • my | strength ||
 || who teacheth my hands to **war** | and • my |
 fingers • to | fight;

2 My hope and my fortress, my castle and deliverer,
 my **defender** in | whom • I | trust ||
 || who subdueth my **people** | that • is | un- • -der |
 me.

3 Lord what is man, that thou hast such
respect | un- • -to | him ||
 || or the son of man, that **thou** | so • re- |
 -gard- • -est | him ?

4 Man is **like** a | thing • of | nought ||
 || his time **passeth** a- | -way • — | like • a | shadow.

Prayer for the revelation of God.

5 Bow thy heavens O **Lord** and | come • — | down ||
 || **touch** the | mountains • and | they • shall | smoke.

6 Cast **forth** thy | lightning • and | tear them ||
 || shoot **out** thine | ar- • -rows | and • con- |
 -sume them.

7 Send down thine **hand** | from • a- | -bove ||
 || deliver me and take me out of the great waters,
 from the | hand • of | strange • — | children ;
 8 Whose **mouth** | talketh • of | vanity ||
 || and their right **hand** is a | right • — |
 hand • of | wickedness.

Thanksgiving.

9 I will sing a new **song** unto | thee • O | God ||
 || and sing praises unto **thee** up- | -on • a |
 ten- • -stringed | lute.
 10 Thou hast given **victory** | un- • -to | kings ||
 || and hast delivered David thy servant from the |
 per- • -il | of • the | sword.
 11 Save me, and deliver me from the **hand** of |
 strange • — | children ||
 || whose mouth talketh of vanity, and their right
hand is a | right • hand | of • in- | -iquity.

National prosperity.

12 That our sons may grow **up** as the | young • — |
 plants ||
 || and that our daughters may be as the **polished** |
 cor- • -ners | of • the | temple.
 13 That our garners may be full and plenteous
 with **all** | manner • of | store ||
 || that our sheep may bring forth thousands
 and **ten** | thou- • -sands | in • our | streets.
 14 That our oxen may be strong to labour, that
there be | no • de- | -cay ||
 || no leading into captivity, and **no** com- |
 -plain- • -ing | in • our | streets.
 15 Happy are the people that **are** in | such • a | case ||
 || yea blessed are the people who **have** the |
 Lord • — | for • their | God.

GLORIA.

PSALM 145. *Exaltabo te, Deus.*

Unceasing praise of God,

I WILL magnify **thee** O | God • my | King ||
 || and I will **praise** thy | Name • for |
 ever • and | ever.
 2 Every day will I give **thanks** | un- • -to | thee ||
 || and **praise** thy | Name • for | ever • and | ever.

3 Great is the Lord, and marvellous worthy |
 to • be | praised ||
 || there is no | end • — | of • his | greatness.
 4 One generation shall praise thy works | unto • an- |
 -other ||
 || and de- | -clare • — | thy • — | power.
 5 As for me, I will be talking | of • thy | worship ||
 || thy glory thy | praise • and | won- • -drous |
 works;
 6 So that men shall speak of the might of thy |
 mar- • -vellous | acts ||
 || and I will also | tell • — | of • thy | greatness.
 2nd part 7 The memorial of thine abundant kindness |
 shall • be | shewed ||
 || and men shall | sing • — | of • thy | righteousness.

for His gracious government of men,

8 The Lord is | gracious • and | merciful ||
 || long-suffering | and • of | great • — | goodness.
 9 The Lord is loving unto | ev- • -ery | man ||
 || and his mercy is | o- • -ver | all • his | works.
 10 All thy works | praise • thee O | Lord ||
 || and thy saints give | thanks • — | un- • -to |
 thee.
 11 They shew the glory | of • thy | kingdom ||
 || and | talk • — | of • thy | power;
 12 That thy power, thy glory, and mightiness |
 of • thy | kingdom ||
 || might be | known • — | un- • -to | men.
 13 Thy kingdom is an ever- | -last- • -ing | kingdom ||
 || and thy dominion en- | -dureth • through- |
 -out • all | ages.

for His righteous Providence.

14 The Lord uphouldeth all | such • as | fall ||
 || and lifteth up all | those • — | that • are | down.
 15 The eyes of all wait upon | thee • O | Lord ||
 || and thou givest them their | meat • in |
 due • — | season.
 16 Thou openest | thine • — | hand ||
 || and fillest | all • things | living • with |
 plenteousness.
 17 The Lord is righteous in | all • his | ways ||
 || and | holy • in | all • his | works.

18 The Lord is nigh unto all **them** that |
call • up- | -on him ||
|| yea, **all** such as | call • up- | -on • him | faithfully.

19 He will fulfil the desire of | them • that |
fear him ||
|| he also will **hear** their | cry • — | and • will |
help them.

20 The Lord **preserveth** all | them • that | love him ||
|| but scattereth **abroad** | all • — | the • un- | -godly.

21 My mouth shall speak the **praise** | of • the |
Lord ||
|| and let all flesh give thanks unto his **holy** |
Name • for | ever • and | ever.

GLORIA.

PSALM 146. *Lauda, anima mea.*

The praise of God in contrast with man's weakness.

PRAISE the Lord O my soul, while I **live** will I |
praise • the | Lord ||
|| yea as long as I have any being, I will **sing** |
prai- • -ses | unto • my | God.

2 O put not your trust in princes, nor in any |
child • of | man ||
|| **for** there is | no • — | help • in | them.

3 For when the breath of man goeth forth he shall
turn **again** | to • his | earth ||
|| and **then** | all • his | thoughts • — | perish.

They that trust in Him are blessed.

4 Blessed is he that hath the God of **Jacob** |
for • his | help ||
|| and whose **hope** is | in • the | Lord • his | God ;

5 Who made heaven and earth, the sea and
all that | there- • -in | is ||
|| **who** | keepeth • his | promise • for | ever ;

6 Who helpeth them to **right** that | suf- • -fer | wrong ||
|| **who** | feed- • — | -eth • the | hungry.

His works of love.

7 The Lord **looseth** men | out • of | prison ||
|| the **Lord** giveth | sight • — | to • the | blind.

8 The Lord helpeth **them** | that • are | fallen ||
|| the **Lord** | ca- • -reth | for • the | righteous.

9 The Lord careth for the strangers, he defendeth
 the **father**- | -less • and | widow ||
 || as for the way of the **ungodly** he | turneth • it |
 up- • -side | down.
 10 The Lord thy God O Sion shall be **King** for |
 ev- • -er- | -more ||
 || and throughout | all • — | gen- • -er- | -ations.

GLORIA.

Evening Prayer

PSALM 147. *Laudate Dominum.*

Praise to God for His manifold works of power, providence, and goodness to His people.

O PRAISE the Lord, for it is a good thing
 to sing **praises** | unto • our | God ||
 || yea a joyful and pleasant **thing** it | is • — |
 to • be | thankful.

2 The Lord doth **build** | up • Je- | -rusalem ||
 || and gather together the | out-casts • of |
 Is- • -ra- | -el.
 3 He healeth **those** that are | broken • in | heart ||
 || and **giveth** | medicine • to | heal • their | sickness.
 4 He telleth the **number** | of • the | stars ||
 || and **calleth** them | all • — | by • their | names.
 5 Great is our Lord, and **great** | is • his | power ||
 || **yea** and his | wis- • -dom | is • — | infinite.
 6 The Lord **setteth** | up • the | meek ||
 || and **bringeth** the un- | -god- • -ly | down • to the |
 ground.
 7 O sing unto the **Lord** with | thanks- • — | -giving ||
 || sing praises upon the | harp • — | unto • our |
 God ;
 8 Who covereth the heaven with clouds, and prepareth
rain | for • the | earth ||
 || and maketh the grass to grow upon the mountains,
 and **herb** | for • the | use • of | men ;
 9 Who giveth **fodder** | unto • the | cattle ||
 || and feedeth the **young** | ravens • that |
 call • up- | -on him.

10 He hath no pleasure in the **strength** | of • an |
horse ||
|| neither **delighteth** | he • in | any • man's | legs.

11 But the Lord's **delight** is in | them • that | fear him ||
|| and **put** their | trust • — | in • his | mercy.

12 Praise the **Lord** | O • Je- | -rusalem ||
|| **praise** | — • thy | God • O | Sion.

13 For he hath made fast the **bars** | of • thy | gates ||
|| **and** hath | blessed • thy | children • with- |
-in thee.

14 He maketh **peace** | in • thy | borders ||
|| and **filleth** thee | with • the | flour • of | wheat.

15 He sendeth forth his **commandment** up- |
-on • — | earth ||
|| and his **word** | run- • -neth | ve- • -ry | swiftly.

16 He **giveth** | snow • like | wool ||
|| and **scattereth** the | hoar- • — | -frost • like |
ashes.

17 He casteth **forth** his | ice • like | morsels ||
|| who is **able** | to • a- | -bide • his | frost?

18 He sendeth out his **word** and | melt- • -eth | them ||
|| he bloweth with his **wind** | and • the |
wa- • -ters | flow.

19 He sheweth his **word** | un- • -to | Jacob ||
|| his statutes and **ordinances** | un- • -to |
Is- • -ra- | -el.

20 He hath not dealt **so** with | a- • -ny | nation ||
|| neither have the **heathen** | know- • -ledge |
of • his | laws.

GLORIA.

PSALM 148. *Laudate Dominum.*

Praise the Lord all things in heaven,

O **PRAISE** the | Lord • of | heaven ||
|| **praise** | — • him | in • the | height.

2 Praise him **all** ye | angels • of | his ||
|| **praise** | — • him | all • his | host.

3 **Praise** him | sun • and | moon ||
|| **praise** him | all • ye | stars • and | light.

4 **Praise** him | all • ye | heavens ||
|| and ye **waters** that | are • a- | -bove • the |
heavens.

5 Let them praise the **Name** | of • the | Lord ||
 || for he spake the word and they were made, he
 commanded | and • they | were • cre- | -ated.
 6 He hath made them **fast** for | ever • and | ever ||
 || he hath given them a **law** | which • shall |
 not • be | broken.

and on earth.

7 Praise the **Lord** up- | on • — | earth ||
 || **ye** | dra- • -gons | and • all | deeps ;
 8 Fire and **hail** | snow • and | vapours ||
 || **wind** and | storm • ful- | -filling • his | word ;
 9 **Mountains** and | all • — | hills ||
 || **fruitful** | trees • and | all • — | cedars ;
 10 **Beasts** and | all • — | cattle ||
 || **worms** | — • and | fea- • -thered | fowls ;
 11 Kings of the **earth** and | all • — | people ||
 || princes and **all** | judg- • -es | of • the | world ;
 12 Young men and maidens, old men and children,
 praise the **Name** | of • the | Lord ||
 || for his Name only is excellent, and his **praise**
 a- | -bove • — | heaven • and | earth.
 13 He shall exalt the horn of his people, **all** his |
 saints • shall | praise him ||
 || even the children of Israel, even the |
 people • that | serv- • -eth | him.

GLORIA.

PSALM 149. *Cantate Domino.*

Israel's thanksgiving.

O SING unto the **Lord** a | new • — | song ||
 || let the **congre-** | -gation • of | saints • — |
 praise him.
 2 Let Israel **rejoice** in | him • that | made him ||
 || and let the children of **Sion** be | joy- • -ful |
 in • their | King.
 3 Let them praise his **Name** | in • the | dance ||
 || let them sing **praises** unto | him • with |
 tabret • and | harp.
 4 For the Lord hath **pleasure** | in • his | people ||
 || **and** | helpeth • the | meek- • — | -hearted.

The work of Israel for God.

5 Let the **saints** be | joyful • with | glory ||
 || **let** them re- | -joice • — | in • their | beds.
 6 Let the praises of **God** be | in • their | mouth ||
 || and a **two**-edged | sword • — | in • their | hands;
 7 To be avenged | of • the | heathen ||
 || **and** | to • re- | -buke • the | people;
 8 To **bind** their | kings • in | chains ||
 || **and** their | nobles • with | links • of | iron.
 9 That they may be avenged of them | as it • is |
 written ||
 || **Such** | honour • have | all • his | saints.

GLORIA.

PSALM 150. *Laudate Dominum.*

A universal Hallelujah.

1 **O** PRAISE **God** | in • his | holiness ||
 || **praise** him in the | firma- • -ment |
 of • his | power.
 2 **Praise** him in his | no- • -ble | acts ||
 || **praise** him according | to • his | excel- • -lent |
 greatness.
 3 Praise him in the **sound** | of • the | trumpet ||
 || **praise** him up- | -on • the | lute • and | harp.
 4 **Praise** him in the | cymbals • and | dances ||
 || **praise** him up- | -on • the | strings • and | pipe.
 5 Praise him upon the | well- • -tuned | cymbals ||
 || **praise** him up- | -on • the | loud • — | cymbals.
 6 Let every thing | that • hath | breath ||
 || **praise** | — • — | — • the | Lord.

GLORIA.

PROPER PSALMS ON CERTAIN DAYS

CHRISTMAS DAY

Morning Prayer

VENITE, EXULTEMUS DOMINO.

PSALM XCV.

A call to worship.

1 O COME let us sing | unto • the | Lord ||
|| let us heartily rejoice in the | strength • of |
our • sal- | -vation.
2 Let us come before his presence with | thanks- • — |
-giving ||
|| and shew ourselves | glad • in | him • with |
psalms.

The greatness of God.

3 For the **Lord** is a | great • — | God ||
|| and a **great** | King • a- | -bove • all | gods..
4 In his hand are all the **corners** | of • the | earth ||
|| and the **strength** of the | hills • is | his • — | also.
5 The **sea** is his | and • he | made it ||
|| and his **hands** pre- | -pared • the | dry • — | land.

A renewed call.

2nd part
6 O come let us **worship** and | fall • — | down ||
|| and **kneel** be- | -fore • the | Lord • our | Maker.
7 For **he** is the | Lord • our | God ||
|| and we are the people of his pasture, **and** the |
sheep • — | of • his | hand.

Warnings against neglect.

8 To-day if ye will hear his voice, **harden** | not • your | hearts ||
 || as in the provocation, and as in the **day** of tempt- | -a- • -tion | in • the | wilderness ;
 9 When your **fathers** | tempt- • -ed | me ||
 || **proved** | me • and | saw • my | works.
 10 Forty years long was I grieved with **this** gener- | -ation • and | said ||
 || It is a people that do err in their hearts, **for** they | have • not | known • my | ways ;
 11 Unto whom I **swear** | in • my | wrath ||
 || that they **should** not | en- • -ter | into • my | rest.

GLORIA.

PSALM 19. *Cœli enarrant.*

The glory of God in the heavens (Nature).

THE heavens **declare** the | glory • of | God ||
 || and the **firmament** | sheweth • his | hand- • -y- | -work.

2 **One** day | telleth • an- | -other ||
 || and **one** night | cer- • -ti- | -fiehth • an- | -other.
 3 There is **neither** | speech • nor | language ||
 || **but** their | voices • are | heard • a- | -mong them.
 4 Their sound is gone **out** into | all • — | lands ||
 || and their **words** into the | ends • — | of • the | world.
 5 In them hath he set a **tabernacle** | for • the | sun ||
 || which cometh forth as a bridegroom out of his
 chamber, and **rejoiceth** as a | giant • to |
 run • his | course.
 6 It goeth forth from the uttermost part of the
 heaven, and runneth about unto the **end** of |
 it • a- | -gain ||
 || and there is nothing **hid** | from • the | heat • there- |
 -of.

The glory of God in the Law (Revelation).

7 The law of the Lord is an **undefiled** **law** con- | -verting • the | soul ||
 || the testimony of the Lord is **sure** and giveth | wis- • -dom | unto • the | simple.

8 The statutes of the Lord are **right** and re- |
 -joice • the | heart ||
 || the commandment of the Lord is **pure** and giveth |
 light • — | unto • the | eyes.
 9 The fear of the Lord is **clean** and en- | -dureth • for |
 ever ||
 || the judgements of the Lord are **true** and |
 right- • -eous | al- • -to- | -gether.
 10 More to be desired are they than gold, **yea** than |
 much • fine | gold ||
 || sweeter also than **honey** | and • the | hon- • -ey- |
 -comb.

Prayer for guidance.

11 Moreover by **them** is thy | ser- • -vant | taught ||
 || and in **keeping** of them | there • is | great • re- |
 -ward.
 12 Who can **tell** how | oft • he of- | -fendeth ||
 || O cleanse thou **me** | from • my | se- • -cret | faults.
 13 Keep thy servant also from presumptuous sins, lest
 they get the dominion | o- • -ver | me ||
 || so shall I be undefiled, and **innocent** | from • the |
 great • of- | -fence.
 14 Let the words of my mouth, and the meditation |
 of • my | heart ||
 || be **alway** ac- | -cepta- • -ble | in • thy | sight,
 15 **O** | — • — | Lord ||
 || **my** | strength • and | my • re- | -deemer. GLORIA.

PSALM 45. *Eructavit cor meum.*

The beauty of the Divine King.

MY heart is inditing of a | good • — | matter ||
 || I speak of the things which **I** have |
 made • — | unto • the | King.
 2 My **tongue** | is • the | pen ||
 || **of** | — • a | rea- • -dy | writer.
 3 Thou art **fairer** than the | children • of | men ||
 || full of grace are thy lips, because **God** hath |
 bless- • -ed | thee • for | ever.

His strength in war.

4 Gird thee with thy sword upon thy **thigh** O |
 thou • most | Mighty ||
 || **accord**ing to thy | wor- • -ship | and • re- | -nown.

5 Good **luck** have thou | with • thine | honour ||
 || ride on, because of the word of truth of meekness
 and righteousness, and thy right **hand** shall |
 teach • thee | terri- • -ble | things.

6 Thy arrows are very sharp, and the people shall be
 subdued | un- • -to | thee ||
 || even in the **midst** a- | -mong • the | King's • — |
 enemies.

His righteous sovereignty.

7 Thy seat O **God** en- | -dureth • for | ever ||
 || the sceptre of thy **kingdom** | is • a | right • — |
 sceptre.

8 Thou hast loved **righteousness** and | hated • in- |
 -iquity ||
 || wherefore God, even thy God, hath anointed thee
 with the **oil** of | gladness • a- | -bove • thy |
 fellows.

His state.

9 All thy garments smell of **myrrh** | aloes • and |
 cassia ||
 || out of the ivory palaces, whereby | they • have |
 made • thee | glad.

10 Kings' daughters were among thy **honour**- | -a- • -ble |
 women ||
 || upon thy right hand did stand the queen in a
 vesture of gold, **wrought** a- | -bout • with |
 di- • -vers | colours.

The devotion and

11 Hearken O daughter and consider in- | -cline • thine |
 ear ||
 || forget also thine own **people** | and • thy |
 fa- • -ther's | house.

12 So shall the King have **pleasure** | in • thy | beauty ||
 || for he is thy Lord **God** and | wor- • -ship |
 thou • — | him.

13 And the daughter of Tyre shall be **there** | with • a |
 gift ||
 || like as the rich also among the people shall make
 their **suppli**- | -cation • be- | -fore • — | thee.

the coming of His Bride.

14 The King's daughter is all **glori**- | -ous • with- | -in ||
 || her **clothing** | is • of | wrought • — | gold.

15 She shall be brought unto the **King** in | raiment • of |
needle-work ||
|| the virgins that be her fellows shall bear her
company, **and** shall be | brought • — | un- • -to |
thee.

16 With joy and **gladness** shall | they • be | brought ||
|| and shall **enter** | into • the | King's • — | palace.

The blessing on their union.

17 Instead of thy **fathers** thou | shalt • have | children ||
|| whom thou mayest **make** | princes • in | all • — |
lands.

18 I will remember thy Name from one generation |
to • an- | -other ||
|| therefore shall the people give thanks unto **thee** |
world • with- | -out • — | end. **GLORIA.**

PSALM 85. *Benedixisti, Domine.*

Thanksgiving for restoration from captivity.

LORD, thou art become **gracious** | unto • thy | land ||
|| thou hast turned **away** the capt- | -iv- • -i- |
-ty • of | Jacob.

2 Thou hast forgiven the **offence** | of • thy | people ||
|| **and** | co- • -vered | all • their | sins.

3 Thou hast taken **away** all | thy • dis- | -pleasure ||
|| and turned thyself **from** thy | wrath- • -ful |
in- • -dig- | -nation.

The people's prayer for fresh deliverance.

4 **Turn** us then O | God • our | Saviour ||
|| and **let** thine | an- • -ger | cease • — | from us.

5 Wilt thou be **displeased** at | us • for | ever ||
|| and wilt thou stretch out thy wrath from **one**
gener- | -a- • -tion | to • an- | -other ?

6 Wilt thou not turn **again** and | quick- • -en | us ||
|| that thy **people** | may • re- | -oice • in | thee ?

2nd part
7 **Shew** us thy | mercy • O | Lord ||
|| **and** | grant • us | thy • sal- | -vation.

The voice of divine promise.

8 I will hearken what the Lord God will **say** con- |
-cern- • -ing | me ||
|| for he shall speak peace unto his people and to
his **saints** that they | turn • — | not • a- | -gain.

9 For his salvation is **nigh** | them • that | fear him ||
 || that **glory** may | dwell • — | in • our | land.

10 Mercy and **truth** are | met • to- | -gether ||
 || **righteousness** and | peace • have | kissed • each | other.

11 Truth shall **flourish** | out of • the | earth ||
 || and **righteousness** hath | look- • -ed | down • from | heaven.

12 Yea the Lord shall **shew** | lov- • -ing- | -kindness ||
 || **and** our | land • shall | give • her | increase.

13 **Righteousness** shall | go • be- | -fore him ||
 || and he shall **direct** his | go- • -ing | in • the | way.

GLORIA.

Evening Prayer

PSALM 89. *Misericordias Domini.*

The faithfulness of God.

MY song shall be alway of the loving-kindness |
 of • the | Lord ||
 || with my mouth will I ever be shewing thy truth
 from **one** gener- | -a- • -tion | to • an- | -other.

2 For I have said, Mercy shall be **set** | up • for | ever ||
 || thy **truth** shalt thou | stab- • -lish | in • the |
 heavens.

His covenant.

3 I have made a **covenant** | with • my | chosen ||
 || I have **sworn** | un- • -to | David • my | servant;

4 Thy **seed** will I | stablish • for | ever ||
 || and set up thy throne from **one** gener- |
 -a- • -tion | to • an- | -other.

The greatness of God

5 O Lord, the very heavens shall **praise** thy |
 won- • -drous | works ||
 || and thy truth in the **congre-** | -ga- • -tion |
 of • the | saints.

6 For who is **he** a- | -mong • the | clouds ||
 || **that** shall be com- | -pa- • -red | unto • the | Lord?

7 And what is **he** a- | -mong • the | gods ||
 || **that** shall be | like • — | unto • the | Lord?

8 God is very greatly to be feared in the **council** |
of • the | **saints** ||

|| and to be had in reverence of all **them** |
that • are | round • a- | -bout him.

as Conqueror, Creator, Ruler.

9 O Lord God of hosts, who is **like** | un- • -to | thee ||

|| thy truth most mighty **Lord** | is • on | ev- • -ery |
side.

10 Thou rulest the **raging** | of • the | sea ||

|| thou stillest the **waves** there- | -of • when |
they • a- | -rise.

11 Thou hast subdued Egypt, **and** de- | -stroy- • -ed | it ||

|| thou hast scattered thine enemies **abroad** |
with • thy | might- • -y | arm.

12 The heavens are thine, the **earth** | also • is | thine ||

|| thou hast laid the foundation of the round
world and | all • that | there- • -in | is.

13 Thou hast made the **north** | and • the | south ||

|| Tabor and **Hermon** shall re- | -joice • — |
in • thy | Name.

14 **Thou** hast a | might- • -y | arm ||

|| strong is thy **hand** and | high • is | thy • right |
hand.

15 Righteousness and equity are the habitation |
of • thy | seat ||

|| mercy and **truth** shall | go • be- | -fore • thy | face.

16 Blessed is the people O **Lord** that can re- |
-joice • in | thee ||

|| they shall **walk** in the | light • — | of • thy |
countenance.

17 Their delight shall be daily | in • thy | Name ||

|| and in thy **righteousness** | shall • they |
make • their | boast.

18 For thou art the **glory** | of • their | strength ||

|| and in thy loving-kindness **thou** shalt | lift • — |
up • our | horns.

19 For the **Lord** is | our • de- | -fence ||

|| the **Holy** One of | Isra- • -el | is • our | King.

The promise to David

20 Thou spakest sometime in visions **unto** thy |
saints • and | saidst ||

|| I have laid help upon one that is mighty, I have
exalted one | chos- • -en | out of • the | people.

21 I have **found** | David • my | servant ||
 || with my holy **oil** have | I • an- | -oint- • -ed |
 him.

22 My **hand** shall | hold • him | fast ||
 || **and** my | arm • shall | strength- • -en | him.

23 The enemy shall not be able to | do • him |
 violence ||
 || the **son** of | wicked- • -ness | shall • not | hurt him.

24 I will smite down his **foes** be- | -fore • his | face ||
 || **and** | plague • — | them • that | hate him.

25 My truth also and my **mercy** | shall • be | with him ||
 || and in my **Name** shall his | horn • — | be • ex- |
 -alted.

26 I will set his dominion also | in • the | sea ||
 || **and** his | right • hand | in • the | floods.

27 He shall call me, **Thou** | art • my | Father ||
 || my **God** | and • my | strong • sal- | -vation.

28 And I will **make** | him • my | first-born ||
 || **higher** than the | kings • — | of • the | earth.

29 My mercy will I keep for **him** for | ev- • -er- | -more ||
 || and my **covenant** shall | stand • — | fast • — |
 with him.

2nd part 30 His seed also will I **make** to en- | -dure • for | ever ||
 || and his **throne** | as • the | days • of | heaven.

sure even in chastisements.

31 But if his **children** for- | -sake • my | law ||
 || **and** | walk • not | in • my | judgements;

32 If they break my statutes, and **keep** not |
 my • com- | -mandments ||
 || I will visit their offences with the **rod** |
 and • their | sin • with | scourges.

33 Nevertheless, my loving-kindness will I not utterly |
 take • from | him ||
 || **nor** | suffer • my | truth • to | fail.

34 My covenant will I not break, nor alter the thing
 that is **gone** | out of • my | lips ||
 || I have sworn once by my **holiness** that I |
 will • not | fail • — | David.

35 His **seed** shall en- | -dure • for | ever ||
 || and his **seat** is | like • as the | sun • be- | -fore
 me.

36 He shall stand fast for evermore | as • the | moon ||
 || and **as** the | faith- • -ful | witness • in | heaven.

The appeal of the people, forsaken

37 But thou hast abhorred and forsaken | thine • An- |
-ointed ||
|| **and** | art • dis- | -plea- • -sed | at him.
38 Thou hast broken the **covenant** | of • thy | servant ||
|| and **cast** his | crown • — | to • the | ground.
39 Thou hast overthrown | all • his | hedges ||
|| **and** | bro- • -ken | down • his | strong holds.
40 All **they** that go | by • — | spoil him ||
|| and he is **become** a re- | -proach • — | to • his |
neighbours.

and defeated,

41 Thou hast set up the right **hand** | of • his | enemies ||
|| and made all his **advers-** | -a- • -ries | to • re- | -joice.
42 Thou hast taken away the **edge** | of • his | sword ||
|| and **givest** him not | vic- • -tory | in • the | battle.
43 **Thou** hast put | out • his | glory ||
|| and **cast** his | throne • — | down • to the | ground.
44 The days of his **youth** | hast • thou | shortened ||
|| **and** | covered • him | with • dis- | -honour.

in regard of the shortness of the time,

45 Lord how long wilt thou **hide** thy- | -self • for | ever ||
|| and **shall** thy | wrath • — | burn • like | fire ?
46 O remember how **short** my | time • — | is ||
|| wherefore hast thou **made** | all • — | men • for |
nought ?
47 What man is he that **liveth** and shall | not • see |
death ||
|| and shall he deliver his **soul** | from • the |
hand • of | hell ?

and the promises of God.

48 Lord where are thy **old** | lov- • -ing- | -kindnesses ||
|| which thou **swarest** unto | Da- • -vid | in • thy |
truth ?
49 Remember Lord the **rebuke** that thy | ser- • -vants |
have ||
|| and how I do bear in my **bosom** the re- |
-bukes • of | ma- • -ny | people ;
50 Wherewith thine enemies have blasphemed thee,
and slandered the **footsteps** of | thine • An- |
-ointed ||
|| Praised be the Lord for evermore | A- • -men |
and • A- | -men. GLORIA.

PSALM 110. *Dixit Dominus.*

The Divine King.

THE **Lord** said | unto • my | Lord ||
 || Sit thou on my right hand, until I **make**
 thine | en- • -em- | -ies • thy | footstool.
 2 The Lord shall send the rod of thy **power** | out • of |
 Sion ||
 || be thou ruler, even in the | midst • a- |
 -mong • thine | enemies.

The Divine High Priest.

3 In the day of thy power shall the people offer thee
 free-will offerings **with** an | ho- • -ly | worship ||
 || the dew of thy birth is **of** the | womb • — |
 of • the | morning.
 4 The Lord **swore** and will | not • re- | -pent ||
 || Thou art a Priest for ever **after** the | or- • -der |
 of • Mel- | -chisedech.

The Divine Conqueror.

5 The **Lord** upon | thy • right | hand ||
 || shall wound even **kings** in the | day • — |
 of • his | wrath.
 6 He shall judge among the heathen, he shall fill
 the **places** with the | dead • — | bodies ||
 || and smite in sunder the **heads** | o- • -ver |
 di- • -vers | countries.
 7 He shall drink of the **brook** | in • the | way ||
 || **therefore** shall he | lift • — | up • his | head.

GLORIA.

PSALM 132. *Memento, Domine.*

The vow of David and its fulfilment.

1 **Lord** re- | -mem- • -ber | David ||
 || **and** | all • — | his • — | trouble;
 2 How he **swore** | unto • the | Lord ||
 || and vowed a vow **unto** the Al- | -might- • -y |
 God • of | Jacob;
 3 I will not come within the **tabernacle** | of • mine |
 house ||
 || **nor** | climb • up | into • my | bed;

4 I will not suffer mine eyes to **sleep** nor mine |
eyelids • to | slumber ||

|| neither the temples of my **head** to | take • — |
a- • -ny | rest;

5 Until I find out a place for the **temple** | of • the | Lord ||
|| an habitation for the | might- • -y | God • of |
Jacob.

6 Lo we **heard** of the | same • at | Ephrata ||
|| **and** | found • it | in • the | wood.

7 We will **go** | into • his | tabernacle ||
|| and fall **low** on our | knees • be- | -fore • his |
footstool.

Prayer for the Divine Presence.

8 Arise O **Lord** | into • thy | resting-place ||
|| **thou** and the | ark • — | of • thy | strength.

9 Let thy **priests** be | clothed • with | righteousness ||
|| and **let** thy | saints • — | sing • with | joyfulness.

10 For thy **servant** | Da- • -vid's | sake ||
|| turn not away the | presence • of | thine • An- |
-ointed.

The permanence of the Divine kingdom and of

11 The Lord hath made a faithful **oath** | un- • -to |
David ||

|| **and** he | shall • not | shrink • — | from it;

12 Of the **fruit** | of • thy | body ||
|| **shall** I | set • up- | -on • thy | seat.

13 If thy children will keep my covenant and my
testimonies that | I • shall | learn them ||
|| their children also shall sit upon thy | seat • for |
ev- • -er- | -more.

the Divine sanctuary,

14 For the Lord hath chosen Sion to be an habitation |
for • him- | -self ||

|| **he** hath | long- • -ed | for • — | her.

15 This shall **be** my | rest • for | ever ||
|| here will I dwell, **for** I | have a • de- |
-light • there- | -in.

16 I will **bless** her | victuals • with | increase ||
|| and will satis- | -fy • her | poor • with | bread.

17 I will **deck** her | priests • with | health ||
|| and her **saints** | shall • re- | -oice • and | sing.

through the Lord's providence.

18 There shall I make the **horn** of David • to | flourish ||
 || I have ordained a | lantern • for | mine • An- |
 -ointed.

19 As for his enemies, I shall **clothe** | them • with |
 shame ||
 || but upon **himself** | shall • his | crown • — | flourish.

GLORIA.

ASH WEDNESDAY

Morning Prayer

VENITE, EXULTEMUS DOMINO.

PSALM XCV.

A call to worship.

O COME let us **sing** | unto • the | Lord ||
 || let us heartily **rejoice** in the | strength • of |
 our • sal- | -vation.

2 Let us come before his **presence** with | thanks- • — |
 -giving ||
 || and **shew** ourselves | glad • in | him • with | psalms.

The greatness of God.

3 For the **Lord** is a | great • — | God ||
 || and a **great** | King • a- | -bove • all | gods.

4 In his hand are all the **corners** | of • the | earth ||
 || and the **strength** of the | hills • is | his • — | also.

2nd part 5 The **sea** is his | and • he | made it ||
 || and his **hands** pre- | -pared • the | dry • — | land.

A renewed call.

6 O come let us **worship** and | fall • — | down ||
 || and **kneel** be- | -fore • the | Lord • our | Maker.

7 For **he** is the | Lord • our | God ||
 || and we are the people of his pasture, **and** the |
 sheep • — | of • his | hand.

Warnings against neglect.

8 To-day if ye will hear his voice, **harden** | not • your | hearts ||
 || as in the provocation, and as in the **day** of tempt- | -a- • -tion | in • the | wilderness ;
 9 When your **fathers** | tempt- • -ed | me ||
 || **proved** | me • and | saw • my | works.
 10 Forty years long was I grieved with **this** gener- | -ation • and | said ||
 || It is a people that do err in their hearts, **for** they | have • not | known • my | ways ;
 11 Unto whom I **swear** | in • my | wrath ||
 || that they **should** not | en- • -ter | into • my | rest.

GLORIA.

PSALM 6. *Domine, ne in furore.*

Prayer in affliction.

O LORD rebuke me **not** in thine | in- • -dig- | -nation ||
 || neither **chasten** | me • in | thy • dis- | -pleasure.
 2 Have mercy upon me O **Lord** for | I • am | weak ||
 || O Lord **heal** me | for • my | bones • are | vexed.
 3 My **soul** also is | sore • — | troubled ||
 || but Lord how **long** | wilt • thou | pun- • -ish | me ?

Prayer yet more urgent.

4 Turn thee O **Lord** and de- | -liver • my | soul ||
 || O **save** me | for • thy | mer- • -cy's | sake.
 5 For in death **no** man re- | -mem- • -bereth | thee ||
 || and who will **give** thee | thanks • — | in • the | pit ?
 6 I am weary of my groaning, every **night** wash |
 I • my | bed ||
 || and **water** my | couch • — | with • my | tears.
 7 My beauty is **gone** for | ve- • -ry | trouble ||
 || and worn **away** be- | -cause • of | all • mine | enemies.

Thanksgiving for prayer heard.

8 Away from me, all **ye** that | work • — | vanity ||
 || for the Lord hath **heard** the | voice • — | of • my | weeping.

9 The Lord hath **heard** | my • pe- | -tition ||
 || the **Lord** | will • re- | -ceive • my | prayer.

10 All mine enemies shall be **confounded** and |
 sore • — | vexed ||
 || they shall be turned **back** and | put • to |
 shame • — | suddenly.

GLORIA.

PSALM 32. *Beati, quorum.*

The blessedness and condition of forgiveness.

BLESSED is he whose **unrighteousness** |
 is • for- | -given ||
 || **and** whose | sin • — | is • — | covered.

2 Blessed is the man unto whom the **Lord** im- |
 -puteth • no | sin ||
 || **and** in whose | spirit • there | is • no | guile.

3 For **while** I | held • my | tongue ||
 || my bones consumed **away** | through • my |
 daily • com- | -plaining.

4 For thy hand is **heavy** upon me | day • and | night ||
 || and my **moisture** is | like • the | drought • in |
 summer.

5 I will acknowledge my **sin** | un- • -to | thee ||
 || and mine **unrighteousness** | have • I | not • — |
 hid.

6 I said I will confess my **sins** | unto • the | Lord ||
 || and so thou forgavest the | wicked- • -ness |
 of • my | sin.

Rest in the Lord.

7 For this shall every one that is godly make his
 prayer unto thee, in a **time** when thou |
 mayest • be | found ||
 || but in the great **water-floods** | they • shall |
 not • come | nigh him.

8 Thou art a place to hide me in, thou shalt **preserve** |
 me • from | trouble ||
 || thou shalt compass me **about** with | songs • — |
 of • de- | -livrance.

9 I will inform thee and teach thee in the **way**
 wherein | thou • shalt | go ||
 || and **I** will guide • thee | with • mine | eye.

10 Be ye not like to horse and mule, which have **no** |
 un- • -der- | -standing ||
 || whose mouths must be held with bit and **bridle** |
 lest • they | fall • up- | -on thee.
 11 Great plagues **remain** for | the • un- | -godly ||
 || but whoso putteth his trust in the Lord, mercy
 embraceth | him • on | ev- • -ery | side.
 12 Be glad O ye righteous, and **rejoice** | in • the |
 Lord ||
 || and be **joy**ful all | ye • that are | true • of | heart.

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PSALM 38. *Domine, ne in furore.*

Prayer in anguish.

PUT me not to rebuke O **Lord** | in • thine |
 anger ||
 || neither **chasten** me | in • thy | heavy • dis- |
 -pleasure.
 2 For thine **arrows** stick | fast • in | me ||
 || **and** thy | hand • — | presseth • me | sore.

Affliction of body.

3 There is no health in my flesh **because** of |
 thy • dis- | -pleasure ||
 || neither is there any rest in my **bones** by | rea- • -son |
 of • my | sin.
 4 For my wickednesses are **gone** | over • my | head ||
 || and are like a sore **burden** too | heavy • for |
 me • to | bear.
 5 My wounds **stink** and | are • cor- | -rupt ||
 || **through** | — • — | my • — | foolishness.
 6 I am brought into so **great** | trouble • and | misery ||
 || that I go **mourning** | all • the | day • — | long.
 7 For my loins are **filled** with a | sore • dis- | -ease ||
 || and there is no **whole** | part • — | in • my | body.
 8 I am **feeble** and | sore • — | smitten ||
 || I have roared for the **very** dis- | -quiet- • -ness |
 of • my | heart.
 9 Lord, thou knowest **all** | my • de- | -sire ||
 || and my **groaning** | is • not | hid • from | thee.

10 My heart panteth, my **strength** hath | fail- • -ed |
 me ||
 || and the **sight** of mine | eyes • is | gone • — |
 from me.

Afflictions from men.

11 My lovers and my neighbours did stand **looking** up- |
 -on • my | trouble ||
 || and my **kinsmen** | stood • a- | -far • — | off.
 12 They also that sought after my **life** laid | snares • for |
 me ||
 || and they that went about to do me evil talked
 of wickedness, and imagined **deceit** | all • the |
 day • — | long.

13 As for me, I was like a **deaf** | man • and | heard not ||
 || and as one that is **dumb** who | doth • not |
 open • his | mouth.
 14 I became even as a **man** that | hear- • -eth | not ||
 || and in whose | mouth • are | no • re- | -proofs.

God is the only refuge.

15 For in thee O **Lord** have I | put • my | trust ||
 || thou shalt **answer** for | me • O | Lord • my | God.
 16 I have required that they, even mine enemies,
 should not **triumph** | o- • -ver | me ||
 || for when my foot slipped, **they** re- | -joi- • -ced |
 great- • -ly a- | -gainst me.
 17 And I truly am **set** | in • the | plague ||
 || and my **heaviness** is | ev- • -er | in • my | sight.
 18 For I **will** con- | -fess • my | wickedness ||
 || and be | sor- • -ry | for • my | sin.
 19 But mine enemies **live** | and • are | mighty ||
 || and they that hate me **wrongfully** are | ma- • -ny |
 in • — | number.
 20 They also that reward evil for **good** | are • a- |
 -against me ||
 || because I **follow** the | thing • that | good • — | is.
 21 Forsake me **not** O | Lord • my | God ||
 || **be** not | thou • — | far • from | me.
 22 **Haste** | thee • to | help me ||
 || O **Lord** | God • of | my • sal- | -vation.

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Evening Prayer

PSALM 102. *Domine, exaudi.*

Prayer in deep distress.

HEAR my | prayer • O | Lord ||
 || and let my **crying** | come • — | un- • -to |
 thee.

2 Hide not thy face from me in the **time** | of • my |
 trouble ||

|| incline thine ear unto me when I **call** O |
 hear me • and | that • right | soon.

3 For my days are **consumed** a- | -way • like | smoke ||
 || and my bones are **burnt** up | as • it | were • a |
 fire-brand.

4 My heart is smitten **down** and | withered • like |
 grass ||

|| so that **I** for- | -get • to | eat • my | bread.

5 For the **voice** | of • my | groaning ||
 || my bones will **scarce** | cleave • — | to • my |
 flesh.

6 I am become like a **pelican** | in • the | wilderness ||
 || and like an **owl** | that • is | in • the | desert.

7 I have watched, and am even as it | were • a |
 sparrow ||

|| that **sitteth** a- | -lone • up- | -on • the | house-top.

8 Mine enemies revile me | all the • day | long ||
 || and they that are mad upon me are | sworn • to- |
 -gether • a- | -against me.

9 For I have eaten **ashes** | as it • were | bread ||
 || **and** | mingled • my | drink • with | weeping;

10 And that because of thine **indig-** | -nation • and |
 wrath ||

|| for thou hast taken me | up • and | cast • me |
 down.

11 My days are **gone** | like • a | shadow ||
 || and **I** am | with- • -ered | like • — | grass.

Trust in the unchanging mercy of God.

12 But thou O **Lord** shalt en- | -dure • for | ever ||
 || and thy **remembrance** through- | -out • all |
 gen- • -er- | -ations.

13 Thou shalt arise and have **mercy** up- | -on • — |
 Sion ||
 || for it is time that thou have mercy upon her |
 yea • the | time • is | come.

14 And why, thy servants **think** up- | -on • her |
 stones ||
 || and it pitied **them** to | see • her | in • the |
 dust.

15 The heathen shall **fear** thy | Name • O | Lord ||
 || and all the **kings** | of • the | earth • thy | Majesty;

16 When the **Lord** shall | build • up | Sion ||
 || and **when** his | glo- • -ry | shall • ap- | -pear;

17 When he turneth him unto the **prayer** of the |
 poor • — | destitute ||
 || **and** de- | -spiseth • not | their • de- | -sire.

18 This shall be written for **those** that | come • — |
 after ||
 || and the people which **shall** be | born • shall |
 praise • the | Lord.

19 For he hath looked **down** | from • his | sanctuary ||
 || out of the **heaven** did the | Lord • be- |
 -hold • the | earth ;

20 That he might hear the mournings of **such** as are |
 in • capt- | -ivity ||
 || and deliver the **children** ap- | -point- • -ed |
 un- • -to | death ;

21 That they may declare the **Name** of the |
 Lord • in | Sion ||
 || **and** his | wor- • -ship | at • Je- | -rusalem ;

22 When the **people** are | gathered • to- | -gether ||
 || and the **kingdoms** | also • to | serve • the | Lord.

The Lord abides for ever, and they that are
 His abide with Him.

23 He brought down my **strength** | in • my | journey ||
 || **and** | shor- • -tened | my • — | days.

24 But I said, O my God take • me not away in the
midst | of • mine | age ||
 || as for thy years, they **endure** through- | -out • all |
 gen- • -er- | -ations.

25 Thou Lord in the beginning hast laid the foundation |
 of • the | earth ||
 || and the **heavens** are the | work • of | thy • — |
 hands.

26 They shall perish, but **thou** | shalt • en- | -dure ||
 || they **all** shall wax | old • as | doth • a | garment ;
 27 And as a vesture shalt thou change them, **and**
 they | shall • be | changed ||
 || but thou art the **same** and | thy • years |
 shall • not | fail.
 28 The children of thy **servants** | shall • con- | -tinue ||
 || and their seed shall **stand** | fast • — | in • thy |
 sight. GLORIA.

PSALM 130. *De profundis.*

Prayer and

O UT of the deep have I **called** unto | thee • O |
 Lord ||
 || **Lord** | hear • — | my • — | voice.
 2 O let thine **ears** con- | -si- • -der | well ||
 || **the** | voice • of | my • com- | -plaint.
 3 If thou Lord wilt be extreme to **mark** what is |
 done • a- | -miss ||
 || O **Lord** | who • — | may • a- | -bide it ?
 4 **For** there is | mercy • with | thee ||
 || **therefore** | shalt • — | thou • be | feared.

trust.

5 I look for the Lord, my **soul** doth | wait • for |
 him ||
 || **in** his | word • — | is • my | trust.
 6 My soul **feeth** | unto • the | Lord ||
 || before the morning watch I **say** be- | -fore • the |
 morn- • -ing | watch.
 7 O Israel trust in the Lord, for with the **Lord** |
 there • is | mercy ||
 || **and** with | him • is | plenteous • re- | -demption.
 8 And he shall **redeem** | Is- • -ra- | -el ||
 || **from** | all • — | his • — | sins. GLORIA.

PSALM 143. *Domine, exaudi.*

Prayer to the Lord in distress,

HEAR my prayer O Lord, and consider |
 my • de- | -sire ||
 || hearken unto **me** for thy | truth • and |
 righteous- • -ness' | sake.

2 And enter not into **judgement** | with • thy | servant ||
 || for in **thy** sight shall | no • man | living • be |
 justified.

3 For the enemy hath persecuted my soul, he hath
 smitten my **life** | down • to the | ground ||
 || he hath laid me in the darkness, as the **men** |
 that • have | been • long | dead.

4 Therefore is my **spirit** | vexed • with- | -in me ||
 || **and** my | heart • with- | -in me • is | desolate.

5 Yet do I remember the time past, I **muse**
 upon | all • thy | works ||
 || yea I exercise **myself** in the | works • — |
 of • thy | hands.

6 I stretch forth my **hands** | un- • -to | thee ||
 || my soul gaspeth unto **thee** | as • a | thirst- • -y |
 land.

for deliverance and guidance.

7 Hear me O Lord and that soon, for my **spirit** |
 wax- • -eth | faint ||
 || hide not thy face from me, lest I be like unto
them that go | down • — | into • the | pit.

8 O let me hear thy loving-kindness betimes in the
 morning, for in **thee** | is • my | trust ||
 || shew thou me the way that I should walk in, for
 I lift **up** my | soul • — | un- • -to | thee.

9 Deliver me O **Lord** | from • mine | enemies ||
 || for I **flee** | un- • -to | thee • to | hide me.

10 Teach me to do the thing that pleaseth thee,
 for **thou** | art • my | God ||
 || let thy loving Spirit lead me **forth** | into • the |
 land • of | righteousness.

11 Quicken me O **Lord** for thy | Name's • — | sake ||
 || and for thy righteousness' sake **bring** my |
 soul • — | out • of | trouble.

12 And of thy **goodness** | slay • mine | enemies ||
 || and destroy all them that vex my **soul** | for • I |
 am • thy | servant.

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GOOD FRIDAY

Morning Prayer

VENITE, EXULTEMUS DOMINO.

PSALM XCV.

A call to worship.

O COME let us **sing** | unto • the | Lord ||
 || let us heartily **rejoice** in the | strength • of |
 our • sal- | -vation.

2 Let us come before his **presence** with | thanks- • — |
 -giving ||
 || and **shew** ourselves | glad • in | him • with |
 psalms.

The greatness of God.

3 For the **Lord** is a | great • — | God ||
 || and a **great** | King • a- | -bove • all | gods.

4 In his hand are all the **corners** | of • the | earth ||
 || and the **strength** of the | hills • is | his • — | also.

2nd part 5 The **sea** is his | and • he | made it ||
 || and his **hands** pre- | -pared • the | dry • — | land.

A renewed call.

6 O come let us **worship** and | fall • — | down ||
 || and **kneel** be- | -fore • the | Lord • our | Maker.

7 For **he** is the | Lord • our | God ||
 || and we are the people of his **pasture**, and the |
 sheep • — | of • his | hand.

Warnings against neglect.

8 To-day if ye will hear his voice, **harden** | not • your |
 hearts ||

|| as in the provocation, and as in the **day** of tempt- |
 -a- • -tion | in • the | wilderness ;

9 When your **fathers** | tempt- • -ed | me ||
 || **proved** | me • and | saw • my | works.

10 Forty years long was I grieved with **this** gener- |
 -ation • and | said ||

|| It is a people that do err in their hearts, **for** they |
 have • not | known • my | ways ;

11 Unto whom I **swear** | in • my | wrath ||
 || that they **should** not | en- • -ter | into • my | rest.

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PSALM 22. *Deus, Deus meus.*

The cry of the forsaken.

MY God my God look upon me, **why** hast thou
for- | -sa- • -ken | me ||
|| and art so far from my health, and **from** the |
words • of | my • com- | -plaint?
2 O my God I cry in the day-time, **but** thou |
hear- • -est | not ||
|| and in the **night**-season | also • I | take • no | rest.
3 And **thou** con- | -tinu- • -est | holy ||
|| **O** thou | worship • of | Is- • -ra- | -el.
4 Our **fathers** | hoped • in | thee ||
|| they trusted in thee, and **thou** | didst • de- |
-liv- • -er | them.
5 They **called** upon thee | and • were | holpen ||
|| they put their **trust** in thee | and • were |
not • con- | -founded.
6 But as for me, I am a **worm** and | no • — | man ||
|| a very scorn of **men** and the | out- • -cast |
of • the | people.
7 All they that see me **laugh** | me • to | scorn ||
|| they shoot out their **lips** and | shake • their |
heads • — | saying,
8 He trusted in God, that **he** would de- | -liv- • -er |
him ||
|| let him deliver him | if • — | he • will | have him.

Affliction issuing in prayer.

9 But thou art he that took me **out** of my |
mo- • -ther's | womb ||
|| thou wast my hope, when I hanged **yet** up- |
-on • my | mo- • -ther's | breasts.
10 I have been left unto thee ever **since** | I • was | born ||
|| thou art my **God** even | from • my | mo- • -ther's |
womb.
11 O go not from me, for **trouble** is | hard • at | hand ||
|| **and** | there • is | none • to | help me.
12 Many **oxen** are | come • a- | -bout me ||
|| fat bulls of Basan **close** me | in • on | ev- • -ery |
side.
13 They **gape** upon me | with • their | mouths ||
|| as it were a **ramping** | and • a | roar- • -ing | lion.

14 I am poured out like water, and all my **bones** are |
out • of | joint ||
|| my heart also in the midst of my **body** is |
even • like | melt- • ing | wax.

15 My strength is dried up like a potsherd, and my
tongue **cleaveth** | to • my | gums ||
|| and thou shalt **bring** me | into • the | dust • of |
death.

16 For many **dogs** are | come • a- | -bout me ||
|| and the council of the **wicked** | lay- • -eth |
siege • a- | -gainst me.

17 They pierced my hands and my feet, I may **tell** |
all • my | bones ||
|| they **stand** | staring • and | looking • up- |
-on me.

18 They **part** my | garments • a- | -mong them ||
|| and **cast** | lots • up- | -on • my | vesture.

19 But be not thou **far** from | me • O | Lord ||
|| thou art my **succour** | haste • — | thee • to |
help me.

20 Deliver my **soul** | from • the | sword ||
|| my **darling** from the | pow- • -er | of • the | dog.

2nd part 21 **Save** me from the | li- • -on's | mouth ||
|| thou hast heard me also from **among** the |
horns • — | of • the | unicorns.

Praise of God for His mercy.

22 I will declare thy **Name** | unto • my | brethren ||
|| in the midst of the **congre-** | -ga- • -tion | will • I |
praise thee.

23 O praise the **Lord** | ye • that | fear him ||
|| magnify him all ye of the seed of **Jaeob**, and fear
him **all** ye | seed • of | Is- • -ra- | -el;

24 For he hath not despised nor abhorred the low
estate | of • the | poor ||
|| he hath not hid his face from him, but when
he **called** | un- • -to | him • he | heard him.

25 My praise is of thee in the **great** | con- • -gre- |
-gation ||
|| my vows will I **perform** in the | sight • of |
them • that | fear him.

26 The poor shall **eat** | and • be | satisfied ||
|| they that seek after the Lord shall **praise** him
your | heart • shall | live • for | ever.

Acknowledgment of His sovereignty.

27 All the ends of the world shall remember themselves,
 and be turned | unto • the | Lord ||
 || and all the **kindreds** of the | nations • shall |
 worship • be- | -fore him.

28 For the **kingdom** | is • the | Lord's ||
 || and he is the **Govern-** | -or • a- | -mong • the |
 people.

29 All **such** as be | fat up- • -on | earth ||
 || **have** | eat- • -en | and • — | worshipped.

30 All they that go down into the **dust** shall |
 kneel • be- | -fore him ||
 || and **no** man hath | quickened • his | own • — |
 soul.

31 **My** | seed • shall | serve him ||
 || they shall be counted unto the **Lord** | for • a |
 gen- • -er- | -ation.

32 They shall come, and the **heavens** shall de- |
 -clare • his | righteousness ||
 || unto a people that shall be **born** | whom • the |
 Lord • hath | made.

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PSALM 40. *Expectans expectavi.*

Thanksgiving for the untold mercies of God.

I WAITED patiently | for • the | Lord ||
 || and he inclined unto | me • and | heard • my |
 calling.

2 He brought me also out of the horrible pit, **out of**
 the | mire • and | clay ||
 || and set my feet upon the **rock** and | order- • -ed |
 my • — | goings.

3 And he hath put a new **song** | in • my | mouth ||
 || even a **thanks-** | -giv- • -ing | unto • our | God.

4 **Many** shall | see it • and | fear ||
 || and shall **put** their | trust • — | in • the | Lord.

5 Blessed is the man that hath set his **hope** | in • the |
 Lord ||
 || and turned not unto the proud, and to **such** as |
 go • a- | -bout • with | lies.

6 O Lord my God, great are the wondrous works which thou hast done, like as be also thy **thoughts** which | are • to | us-ward ||
 || and yet there is no man that ordereth | them • — | un- • -to | thee.

7 If I should declare them and | speak • of | them ||
 || they should be more than **I** am | a- • -ble | to • ex- | -press.

The offering of service which God chooses.

8 Sacrifice and meat-offering thou | would- • -est | not ||
 || **but** mine | ears • — | hast • thou | opened.

9 Burnt-offerings and sacrifice for **sin** hast thou | not • re- | -quired ||
 || **then** | said • I | Lo • I | come,

10 In the volume of the book it is written of me, that I should fulfil thy **will** | O • my | God ||
 || I am content to do it, yea thy **law** | is • with- | -in • my | heart.

11 I have declared thy righteousness in the **great** | con- • -gre- | -gation ||
 || lo I will not refrain my **lips** O | Lord • and | that • thou | knowest.

12 I have not hid thy **righteousness** with- | -in • my | heart ||
 || my talk hath been of thy **truth** | and • of | thy • sal- | -vation.

2nd part 13 I have not kept back thy **loving** | mercy • and | truth ||
 || **from** the | great • — | con- • -gre- | -gation.

Prayer in distress.

14 Withdraw not thou thy **mercy** from | me • O | Lord ||
 || let thy loving-kindness and thy **truth** | alway • pre- | -serve • — | me.

15 For innumerable troubles are come about me, my sins have taken such hold upon me that I am not able to | look • — | up ||

|| yea they are more in number than the hairs of my head, and my | heart • hath | fail- • -ed | me.

16 O Lord, let it be thy **pleasure** to de- | -liv- • -er | me ||
 || **make** | haste • O | Lord • to | help me.

17 Let them be ashamed and confounded together, that seek after my **soul** | to • de- | -stroy it ||
 || let them be driven backward and **put** to re- | -buke • that | wish • me | evil.

18 Let them be desolate, **and** re- | -warded • with | shame ||
 || that say unto me, **Fie** up- | -on • thee | fie • up- | -on thee.

19 Let all those that seek thee be **joyful** and | glad • in | thee ||
 || and let such as love thy salvation say **alway** The | Lord • — | be • — | praised.

20 As for **me** I am | poor • and | needy ||
 || **but** the | Lord • — | ca- • -reth | for me.

21 Thou art my **helper** | and • re- | -deemer ||
 || make **no** long | tarry- • -ing | O • my | God.

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PSALM 54. *Deus, in Nomine.*

Prayer in peril.

SAVE me O **God** for thy | Name's • — | sake ||
 || **and** a- | -venge • me | in • thy | strength.

2 **Hear** my | prayer • O | God ||
 || and hearken unto the | words • — | of • my | mouth.

3 For strangers are **risen** | up • a- | -against me ||
 || and tyrants which have not God before their **eyes** | seek • — | after • my | soul.

Confidence.

4 Behold, **God** | is • my | helper ||
 || the Lord is with **them** | that • up- | -hold • my | soul.

5 He shall reward **evil** | unto • mine | enemies ||
 || **destroy** thou | them • — | in • thy | truth.

Gratitude.

6 An offering of a free heart will I give thee, and **praise** thy | Name • O | Lord ||
 || **be-** | -cause • it | is • so | comfortable.

7 For he hath delivered me **out** of | all • my | trouble ||
 || and mine eye hath **seen** his de- | -sire • up- | -on • mine | enemies.

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2nd part

Evening Prayer

PSALM 69. *Salvum me fac.*

A lamentation in sore distress,

SAVE | me • O | God |||| for the waters are come in | e- • -ven |
unto • my | soul.2 I stick fast in the deep mire, where no | ground.— |
is |||| I am come into deep waters, so that the |
floods • run | o- • -ver | me.

3 I am weary of crying my | throat • is | dry ||

|| my sight faileth me for waiting so | long • up- |
-on • my | God.4 They that hate me without a cause are more than
the hairs | of • my | head |||| they that are mine enemies and would de- |
-stroy • me | guiltless • are | mighty.5 I paid them the things that I | nev- • -er |
took |||| God thou knowest my simpleness, and my faults |
are • not | hid • from | thee.6 Let not them that trust in thee O Lord God of
hosts, be ashamed | for • my | cause |||| let not those that seek thee be confounded through
me, O **Lord** | God • of | Is- • -ra- | -el.

due to zeal for righteousness.

7 And why? for thy sake have I | suffered • re- |
-proof |||| **shame** | — • hath | covered • my | face.8 I am become a **stranger** | unto • my | brethren ||

|| even an alien | unto • my | mo- • -ther's | children.

9 For the zeal of thine house hath even | eat- • -en |
me |||| and the rebukes of them that rebuked **thee** are |
fallen • up- | -on • — | me.10 I wept, and **chastened** my- | -self • with | fasting ||
|| and **that** was | turned • to | my • re- | -proof.

11 I put on | sack- • -cloth | also ||

|| **and** they | jested • up- | -on • — | me.12 They that sit in the **gate** | speak • a- | -against me ||
|| **and** the | drunkards • make | songs • up- | -on me.

Prayer in this extremity,

13 But Lord I make my **prayer** | un- - - to | thee ||
 || **in** | an • ac- | -cepta- • -ble | time.

14 Hear me O God in the **multitude** | of • thy | mercy ||
 || even **in** the | truth • of | thy • sal- | -vation.

15 Take me out of the **mire** | that • I | sink not ||
 || O let me be delivered from them that **hate** me
 and | out of • the | deep • — | waters.

16 Let not the water-flood drown me, neither let the
deep | swallow • me | up ||
 || and let not the **pit** | shut • her | mouth • up- | -on
 me.

17 Hear me O Lord, for thy **loving-** | -kindness • is |
 comfortable ||
 || turn thee unto me **according** to the | multi- - -tude |
 of • thy | mercies.

18 And hide not thy face from thy servant, **for** I |
 am • in | trouble ||
 || **O** | haste • — | thee • and | hear me.

19 Draw nigh **unto** my | soul • and | save it ||
 || O deliver me be- | -cause • of | mine • — | enemies.

20 Thou hast known my reproof, my **shame** and |
 my • dis- | -honour ||
 || mine **adversaries** are | all • in | thy • — | sight.

21 Thy rebuke hath broken my **heart** I am | full • of |
 heaviness ||
 || I looked for some to have pity on me, but there
 was no man, neither **found** I | any • to |
 com- • -fort | me.

22 They **gave** me | gall • to | eat ||
 || and when I was thirsty they **gave** me | vin- • -e- |
 -gar • to | drink.
 and denunciation of enemies.

23 Let their table be made a snare to **take** them- |
 -selves • with- | -al ||
 || and let the things that should have been for their
 wealth be unto **them** | an • oc- | -casion • of |
 falling.

24 Let their eyes be **blinded** | that • they | see not ||
 || and **ever** | bow • thou | down • their | backs.

25 Pour out thine **indig-** | -nation • up- | -on them ||
 || and let thy **wrathful** dis- | -pleasure • take |
 hold • of | them.

26 Let their **habit**- | -ation • be | void ||
 || and **no** man to | dwell • — | in • their | tents.
 27 For they persecute **him** whom | thou • hast |
 smitten ||
 || and they talk how they may **vex** | them • whom |
 thou • hast | wounded.
 28 Let them fall from one **wickedness** | to • an- |
 -other ||
 || **and** | not • come | into • thy | righteousness.
 29 Let them be wiped out of the **book** | of • the | living ||
 || and **not** be | written • a- | -mong • the | righteous.

Thanksgiving.

30 As for me, when I am **poor** | and • in | heaviness ||
 || thy **help** O | God • shall | lift • me | up.
 31 I will praise the Name of **God** | with • a | song ||
 || and **magni**- | -fy it • with | thanks- • — | -giving.
 32 This **also** shall | please • the | Lord ||
 || better than a **bullock** | that • hath | horns • and |
 hoofs.
 33 The humble shall consider **this** | and • be | glad ||
 || seek ye after **God** | and • your | soul • shall | live.
 34 For the **Lord** | heareth • the | poor ||
 || **and** de- | -spi- • -seth | not • his | prisoners.
 35 Let **heaven** and | earth • — | praise him ||
 || the **sea** and | all • that | moveth • there- | -in.
 36 For God will save Sion, and **build** the | cities • of |
 Judah ||
 || that men may **dwell** there and | have • it |
 in • pos- | -session.
 37 The posterity also of his servants **shall** in- |
 -he- • -rit | it ||
 || and they that **love** his | Name • shall |
 dwell • there- | -in. GLORIA.

PSALM 88. *Domine Deus.*

The lament of one who finds no relief or light in affliction.

O LORD God of my salvation, I have cried **day**
 and | night • be- | -fore thee ||
 || O let my prayer enter into thy presence, incline
 thine | ear • — | unto • my | calling.
 2 For my **soul** is | full • of | trouble ||
 || and my **life** draweth | nigh • — | un- • -to | hell.

3 I am counted as one of them that go **down** |
 into • the | pit ||

|| and I have been **even** as a | man • that |
 hath • no | strength.

4 Free among the dead, like unto them that are
 wounded and **lie** | in • the | grave ||

|| who are out of remembrance, and are **cut** a- |
 -way • — | from • thy | hand.

5 Thou hast **laid** me in the | low- • -est | pit ||
 || in a **place** of | darkness • and | in • the | deep.

6 Thine indignation **lieth** | hard • up- | -on me ||
 || and thou hast **vexed** | me • with | all • thy | storms.

7 Thou hast put away mine acquaintance | far • from |
 me ||

|| and **made** me to | be • ab- | -hor- • -red | of them.

8 I am **so** | fast • in | prison ||

|| **that** I | can- • -not | get • — | forth.

9 My sight **faileth** for | ve- • -ry | trouble ||

|| Lord I have called daily upon thee, I have
 stretched **forth** my | hands • — | un- • -to | thee.

10 Dost thou shew **wonders** a- | -mong • the | dead ||
 || or shall the **dead** rise | up • a- | -gain • and |
 praise thee?

11 Shall thy loving-kindness be **shewed** | in • the | grave ||
 || **or** thy | faithful- • -ness | in • de- | -struction ?

12 Shall thy wondrous works be **known** | in • the | dark ||
 || and thy righteousness in the **land** where |
 all • things | are • for- | -gotten ?

13 Unto **thee** have I | cried • O | Lord ||

|| and **early** shall my | pray- • -er | come • be- |
 -fore thee.

14 Lord, why **abhorrest** | thou • my | soul ||

|| and **hidest** | thou • thy | face • — | from me ?

15 I am in misery, and like unto him that is at the |
 point • to | die ||

|| even from my youth up thy terrors have
 I **suffered** | with • a | trou- • -bled | mind.

16 Thy wrathful displeasure **goeth** | o- • -ver | me ||

|| and the **fear** of | thee • — | hath • un- | -done me.

17 They came round **about** me | daily • like | water ||

|| and **compassed** me to- | -gether • on | ev- • -ery | side.

18 My lovers and friends hast thou **put** a- | -way • from |
 me ||

|| and **hid** mine ac- | -quaint- • -ance | out of • my |
 sight. GLORIA.

EASTER DAY

Morning Prayer

ANTHEMS

(To be used on Easter Day instead of the VENITE.)

CHRIST our passover is **saci- | -ficed** • for | us ||
 || **therefore** | let • us | keep • the | feast;

2 Not with the old leaven, nor with the **leaven** of |
 malice • and | wickedness ||
 || but with the unleavened **bread** of sin- | -ce- • -ri- |
 -ty • and | truth. 1 Cor. v. 7.

3 CHRIST being raised from the **dead** | dieth • no |
 more ||
 || death hath no **more** do- | -min- • -ion | o- • -ver |
 him.

4 For in that he died, he **died** unto | sin • — | once ||
 || but in that he **liveth** he | liv- • -eth | un- • -to |
 God.

5 Likewise reckon ye also yourselves to be **dead**
 indeed | un- • -to | sin ||
 || but alive unto **God** through | Je- • -sus |
 Christ • our | Lord. Rom. vi. 9.

6 CHRIST is **risen** | from • the | dead ||
 || and become the **first-** | -fruits • of | them • that |
 slept.

7 For **since** by | man • came | death ||
 || by man came also the **resur-** | -rec- • -tion |
 of • the | dead.

8 For as in **Adam** | all • — | die ||
 || even so in **Christ** shall | all • be | made • a- | -live.
 1 Cor. xv. 20.

Glory be to the **Father** and | to • the | Son ||
 || **and** | to • the | Ho- • -ly | Ghost;
 As it was in the beginning, is **now** and | ev- • -er |
 shall be ||
 || **world** without | end • — | A- • — | -men.

PSALM 2. *Quare fremuerunt gentes?*

The rebellion of the nations.

WHY do the heathen so furiously | rage • to- |
-gether ||

|| and why do the people i- | -magine • a | vain • — |
thing ?

2 The kings of the earth stand up, and the rulers
take | counsel • to- | -gether ||
|| against the **Lord** and a- | -gainst • — | his • An- |
-ointed.

3 Let us **break** their | bonds • a- | -sunder ||
|| and **cast** a- | -way • their | cords • — | from us.

The answer of Jehovah.

4 He that dwelleth in heaven shall **laugh** | them • to |
scorn ||

|| the **Lord** shall | have • them | in • de- | -rision.

5 Then shall he **speak** unto them | in • his | wrath ||
|| and **vex** them | in • his | sore • dis- | -pleasure.

6 **Yet** have I | set • my | King ||
|| upon my | ho- • ly | hill • of | Sion.

The commission of the Divine King.

7 I will preach the law, whereof the Lord hath **said** |
un- • -to | me ||

|| Thou art my Son, this **day** have | I • be- |
-got- • -ten | thee.

8 Desire of me, and I shall give thee the **heathen** for |
thine • in- | -heritance ||
|| and the utmost **parts** of the | earth • for | thy • pos- |
-session.

9 Thou shalt **bruise** them with a | rod • of | iron ||
|| and break them in **pieces** | like • a | pot- • -ter's |
vessel.

The counsel of submission.

10 Be wise now **therefore** | O • ye | kings ||
|| be learned, **ye** that are | judg- • -es | of • the | earth.

11 **Serve** the | Lord • in | fear ||
|| and **rejoice** | un- • -to | him • with | reverence.

12 Kiss the Son lest he be angry, and so **ye** **perish** from
the | right • — | way ||

|| if his wrath be kindled, yea but a little, blessed are
all **they** that | put • their | trust • in | him.

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PSALM 57. *Miserere mei, Deus.*

Prayer in danger.

BE merciful unto me O God, be merciful unto me, for my **soul** | trusteth • in | thee || || and under the shadow of thy wings shall be my refuge, until this | tyranny • be | o- • -ver- | -past.

2 I will **call** unto the | most • high | God || || even unto the God that shall perform the **cause** | which • I | have • in | hand.

3 **He** shall | send • from | heaven || || and save me from the reproof of **him** | that • would | eat • me | up.

4 God shall send **forth** his | mercy • and | truth || || my **soul** | is • a- | -mong • — | lions.

5 And I lie even among the children of **men** that are | set • on | fire || || whose teeth are spears and arrows, **and** their | tongue • a | sharp • — | sword.

6 Set up thyself O **God** a- | -bove • the | heavens || || and thy **glory** a- | -bove • — | all • the | earth.

Thanksgiving for deliverance.

7 They have laid a net for my feet, and **pressed** | down • my | soul || || they have digged a pit before me, and are fallen into the | midst • of | it • them- | -selves.

8 My heart is fixed O **God** my | heart • is | fixed || || **I** will | sing • and | give • — | praise.

9 Awake up my glory, **awake** | lute • and | harp || || **I myself** | will • a- | -wake • right | early.

10 I will give thanks unto thee O **Lord** a- | -mong • the | people || || and I will **sing** unto | thee • a- | -mong • the | nations.

11 For the greatness of thy mercy **reacheth** | unto • the | heavens || || **and** thy | truth • — | unto • the | clouds.

12 Set up thyself O **God** a- | -bove • the | heavens || || and thy **glory** a- | -bove • — | all • the | earth.

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PSALM 111. *Confitebor tibi.*

Thanks to God for His works.

1 WILL give thanks unto the **Lord** with my |
whole • — | heart ||
|| secretly among the **faithful** and | in • the |
con- • -gre- | -gation.

2 The **works** of the | Lord • are | great ||
|| sought out of all **them** | that • have |
pleasure • there- | -in.

3 His work is worthy to be **praised** and | had • in |
honour ||
|| and his **righteous-** | -ness • en- | -dureth • for |
ever.

4 The merciful and gracious Lord hath so **done** his |
marvel- • -lous | works ||
|| that they **ought** to be | had • — | in • re- |
-membrance.

His providence.

5 He hath given **meat** unto | them • that | fear him ||
|| he shall ever be | mind- • -ful | of • his | covenant.

6 He hath shewed his people the **power** | of • his |
works ||
|| that he may **give** them the | heri- • -tage |
of • the | heathen.

7 The works of his **hands** are | verity • and |
judgement ||
|| **all** | his • com- | -mandments • are | true.

8 They stand **fast** for | ever • and | ever ||
|| **and** are | done • in | truth • and | equity.

His revelation.

9 He sent **redemption** | unto • his | people ||
|| he hath commanded his covenant for ever, **holy**
and | rev- • -erend | is • his | Name.

10 The fear of the **Lord** is the be- | -ginning • of |
wisdom ||
|| a good understanding have all they that do there-
after, the **praise** of | it • en- | -dureth • for |
ever.

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Evening Prayer

PSALM 113. *Laudate, pueri.*

Call to the praise of the Lord,

PRAISE the | Lord • ye | servants ||
 || O **praise** the | Name • — | of • the | Lord.
 2 Blessed be the **Name** | of • the | Lord ||
 || from **this** time | forth • for | ev- • -er- | -more.
 3 The **Lord's** | Name • is | praised ||
 || from the rising up of the sun unto the **going** |
 down • — | of • the | same.

majestic in His glory,

4 The Lord is **high** a- | -bove • all | heathen ||
 || **and** his | glory • a- | -bove • the | heavens.
 5 Who is like unto the Lord our God, that **hath** his |
 dwelling • so | high ||
 || and yet humbleth himself to behold the **things**
 that | are • in | heaven • and | earth ?

loving to the humble.

6 He taketh up the **simple** | out of • the | dust ||
 || and **lifteth** the | poor • — | out of • the | mire ;
 7 That he may **set** him | with • the | princes ||
 || even **with** the | prin- • -ces | of • his | people.
 8 He maketh the barren **woman** to | keep • — | house ||
 || and to **be** a | joy- • -ful | mother • of | children.

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PSALM 114. *In exitu Israel.*

The wonders of the Exodus.

WHEN Israel **came** | out • of | Egypt ||
 || and the house of Jacob **from** a- |
 -mong • the | strange • — | people,
 2 **Judah** | was • his | sanctuary ||
 || **and** | Isra- • -el | his • do- | -minion.
 3 The **sea** saw | that • and | fled ||
 || **Jordan** | was • — | driv- • -en | back.
 4 The **mountains** | skipped • like | rams ||
 || and the **little** | hills • like | young • — | sheep.

5 What aileth thee O thou **sea** | that • thou | fleddest ||
 || and thou **Jordan** that | thou • wast | driv- • -en |
 back ?

6 Ye mountains, **that** ye | skipped • like | rams ||
 || and ye **little** | hills • like | young • — | sheep ?

7 Tremble thou earth at the **presence** | of • the | Lord ||
 || at the **presence** | of • the | God • of | Jacob ;

8 Who turned the hard rock **into** a | stand- • -ing | water ||
 || and the **flint**-stone | into • a | spring- • -ing | well.

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PSALM 118. *Confitemini Domino.*

All men praise the Lord.

O GIVE thanks unto the **Lord** for | he • is |
 gracious ||
 || **because** his | mercy • en- | -dureth • for | ever.

2 Let Israel now **confess** that | he • is | gracious ||
 || and that **his** | mercy • en- | -dureth • for | ever.

3 Let the house of **Aaron** | now • con- | -fess ||
 || that **his** | mercy • en- | -dureth • for | ever.

4 Yea, let them now that **fear** the | Lord • con- | -fess ||
 || that **his** | mercy • en- | -dureth • for | ever.

Personal trust.

5 I called upon the | Lord • in | trouble ||
 || and the **Lord** | heard • — | me • at | large.

6 The **Lord** is | on • my | side ||
 || I will not **fear** what | man • doeth | un- • -to | me.

7 The Lord taketh my **part** with | them • that |
 help me ||
 || therefore shall I **see** my de- | -sire • up- |
 -on • mine | enemies.

8 It is better to **trust** | in • the | Lord ||
 || than to **put** any | con- • -fid- | -ence • in | man.

9 It is better to **trust** | in • the | Lord ||
 || than to **put** any | con- • -fid- | -ence • in | princes.

2nd part Deliverance accomplished.

10 All nations **compassed** me | round • a- | -bout ||
 || but in the **Name** of the | Lord • will | I • de- |
 -stroy them.

11 They kept me in on every side, they kept me in
 I say on | ev- • -ery | side ||
 || but in the **Name** of the | Lord • will | I • de- |
 -stroy them.

12 They came about me like bees, and are extinct
 even as the **fire** a- | -mong • the | thorns ||
 || for in the **Name** of the | Lord • I | will • de- |
 -stroy them.

13 Thou hast thrust **sore** at me that | I • might | fall ||
 || **but** the | Lord • — | was • my | help.

2nd part 14 The Lord is my **strength** | and • my | song ||
 || **and** is be- | -come • — | my • sal- | -vation.

Joy out of chastening.

15 The voice of joy and health is in the **dwellings** |
 of • the | righteous ||

|| the right hand of the **Lord** bringeth | might- • -y |
 things • to | pass.

16 The right hand of the **Lord** | hath the • pre- |
 -eminence ||

|| the right hand of the **Lord** bringeth | might- • -y |
 things • to | pass.

17 I **shall** not | die • but | live ||
 || and **declare** the | works • — | of • the | Lord.

18 The Lord hath **chastened** and cor- | -rect- • -ed | me ||
 || but he hath not **given** me | o- • -ver | un- • -to |
 death.

Solemn thanksgiving.

19 **Open** me the | gates • of | righteousness ||
 || that I may go into them, **and** give | thanks • — |
 unto • the | Lord.

20 This is the **gate** | of • the | Lord ||
 || the **righteous** shall | en- • -ter | in- • -to | it.

21 I will **thank** thee for | thou • hast | heard me ||
 || and **art** be- | -come • — | my • sal- | -vation.

22 The same **stone** which the | builders • re- | -fused ||
 || is **become** the | head- • -stone | in • the | corner.

23 **This** is the | Lord's • — | doing ||
 || **and** it is | mar- • -vellous | in • our | eyes.

24 This is the **day** which the | Lord • hath | made ||
 || we will **rejoice** | and • be | glad • in | it.

25 **Help** me now | O • — | Lord ||
 || O **Lord** | send • us | now • pro- | -sperity.

26 Blessed be he that cometh in the **Name** | of • the |
Lord ||
|| we have wished you good luck, ye that are **of**
the | house • — | of • the | Lord.

27 God is the **Lord** who hath | shewed • us | light ||
|| bind the sacrifice with cords, yea even **unto** the |
horns • — | of • the | altar.

28 Thou art my **God** and | I • will | thank thee ||
|| **thou** art my | God • and | I • will | praise thee.

29 O give thanks unto the **Lord** for | he • is | gracious ||
|| and **his** | mercy • en- | -dureth • for | ever.

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ASCENSION DAY

Morning Prayer

VENITE, EXULTEMUS DOMINO.

PSALM XCV.

A call to worship.

O COME let us **sing** | unto • the | Lord ||
|| let us heartily **rejoice** in the | strength • of |
our • sal- | -vation.

2 Let us come before his **presence** with | thanks- • — |
-giving ||
|| and **shew** ourselves | glad • in | him • with |
psalms.

The greatness of God.

3 For the **Lord** is a | great • — | God ||
|| and a **great** | King • a- | -bove • all | gods.

4 In his hand are all the **corners** | of • the | earth ||
|| and the **strength** of the | hills • is | his • — | also.

5 The **sea** is his | and • he | made it ||
|| and his **hands** pre- | -pared • the | dry • — | land.

A renewed call.

6 O come let us **worship** and | fall • — | down ||
|| and **kneel** be- | -fore • the | Lord • our | Maker.

7 For **he** is the | Lord • our | God ||
|| and we are the people of his pasture, **and** the |
sheep • — | of • his | hand.

2nd part

Warnings against neglect.

8 To-day if ye will hear his voice, **harden** | not • your | hearts ||
 || as in the provocation, and as in the **day** of tempt- | -a- • -tion | in • the | wilderness ;
 9 When your **fathers** | tempt- • -ed | me ||
 || **proved** | me • and | saw • my | works.
 10 Forty years long was I grieved with **this** gener- | -ation • and | said ||
 || It is a people that do err in their hearts, **for** they | have • not | known • my | ways ;
 11 Unto whom I **swear** | in • my | wrath ||
 || that they **should** not | en- • -ter | into • my | rest.

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PSALM 8. *Domine, Dominus noster.*

The glory of God through the weak.

O LORD our Governor, how excellent is thy **Name** | in | all • the | world ||
 || thou that hast **set** thy | glory • a- | -bove • the | heavens !
 2 Out of the mouth of very babes and sucklings hast thou ordained strength, **because** | of • thine | enemies ||
 || that thou mightest **still** the | en- • -emy | and • the a- | -venger.

Man made king

3 For I will consider thy heavens, even the **works** | of • thy | fingers ||
 || the moon and the **stars** | which • thou | hast • or- | -dained.
 4 What is man, that **thou** art | mindful • of | him ||
 || and the son of **man** | that • thou | visit- • -est | him ?
 5 Thou madest him **lower** | than • the | angels ||
 || to **crown** | him • with | glory • and | worship.

over the world.

6 Thou makest him to have dominion of the **works** | of • thy | hands ||
 || and thou hast put **all** things in sub- | -jec- • -tion | under • his | feet ;

7 All | sheep • and | oxen ||
 || yea and the | beasts • — | of • the | field ;
 8 The fowls of the air, and the fishes | of • the | sea ||
 || and whatsoever walketh through the | paths • — |
 of • the | seas.

The glory of God.

9 O | Lord • our | Governor ||
 || how excellent is thy | Name • in | all • the | world !

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PSALM 15. *Domine, quis habitabit?*

The portraiture of the righteous

LORD, who shall dwell | in • thy | tabernacle ||
 || or who shall rest up- | on • thy | ho- • ly |
 hill ?

2 Even he that leadeth an | uncor- • -rupt | life ||
 || and doeth the thing which is right, and speaketh
 the | truth • — | from • his | heart.

in detail.

3 He that hath used no deceit in his tongue, nor done
 evil | to • his | neighbour ||
 || and | hath • not | slandered • his | neighbour.

4 He that setteth not by himself, but is lowly in his |
 own • — | eyes ||

|| and maketh much of | them • that | fear • the | Lord.

5 He that sweareth unto his neighbour, and disap- |
 -pointeth • him | not ||

|| though it | were • to his | own • — | hindrance.

6 He that hath not given his money up- | on • — |
 usury ||

|| nor taken re- | -ward • a- | -gainst • the | innocent.

7 Whoso | doeth • these | things ||
 || shall | — • — | nev- • -er | fall.

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PSALM 21. *Domine, in virtute tua.*

The prosperity of the King.

THE King shall rejoice in thy | strength • O |
 Lord ||
 || exceeding glad shall he | be • of | thy • sal- |
 -vation.

2 Thou hast given him his | heart's • de- | -sire ||
 || and hast not denied him the re- | -quest • — |
 of • his | lips.

3 For thou shalt prevent him with the | blessings • of |
 goodness ||
 || and shalt set a **crown** of pure | gold • up- |
 -on • his | head.

4 He asked life of thee, and thou **gavest** him a |
 long • — | life ||
 || even for | ev- • -er | and • — | ever.

5 His honour is **great** in | thy • sal- | -vation ||
 || glory and great **worship** | shalt • thou | lay • up- |
 -on him.

6 For thou shalt give him **ever-** | -lasting • fe- |
 -licity ||
 || and make him **glad** with the | joy • — | of • thy |
 countenance.

2nd part 7 And why? because the King putteth his **trust** |
 in • the | Lord ||
 || and in the mercy of the most **Highest** | he • shall |
 not • mis- | -carry.

His future success.

8 All thine **enemies** shall | feel • thy | hand ||
 || thy right **hand** shall | find • out | them • that |
 hate thee.

9 Thou shalt make them like a fiery oven in **time** |
 of • thy | wrath ||
 || the Lord shall destroy them in his displeasure,
 and the | fire • — | shall • con- | -sume them.

10 Their fruit shalt thou root **out** | of • the | earth ||
 || and their **seed** from a- | -mong • the | children • of |
 men.

11 For they intended **mischief** a- | -against • — |
 thee ||
 || and imagined such a device as they **are** not |
 a- • -ble | to • per- | -form.

12 Therefore shalt thou **put** | them • to | flight ||
 || and the strings of thy bow shalt thou make **ready**
 a- | -against • the | face • of | them.

13 Be thou exalted **Lord** in thine | own • — | strength ||
 || **so** will we | sing • and | praise • thy | power.

GLORIA.

Evening Prayer

PSALM 24. *Domini est terra.*

The Sovereignty of the Lord.

THE earth is the Lord's, and **all** that |
 there- • -in | is ||
 || the compass of the **world** and | they • that |
 dwell • there- | -in.
 2 For he hath **founded** it up- | -on • the | seas ||
 || and **prepared** | it • up- | -on • the | floods.

His true worshippers.

3 Who shall ascend into the **hill** | of • the | Lord ||
 || or who shall rise **up** | in • his | ho- • ly | place ?
 4 Even he that hath clean **hands** and a | pure • — |
 heart ||
 || and that hath not lift up his mind unto vanity,
 nor **sworn** | to • de- | -ceive • his | neighbour.
 5 He shall receive the **blessing** | from • the | Lord ||
 || and righteousness **from** the | God • of | his • sal- |
 -vation.
 6 This is the generation of | them • that | seek him ||
 || even of **them** that | seek • thy | face • O | Jacob.

His welcome to His sanctuary.

7 Lift up your heads O ye gates, and be ye lift up ye
 ever- | -last- • -ing | doors ||
 || and the **King** of | glo- • -ry | shall • come | in.
 8 **Who** is the | King • of | glory ||
 || it is the Lord strong and mighty, even the |
 Lord • — | mighty • in | battle.
 9 Lift up your heads O ye gates, and be ye lift up ye
 ever- | -last- • -ing | doors ||
 || and the **King** of | glo- • -ry | shall • come | in.
 10 **Who** is the | King • of | glory ||
 || even the Lord of **hosts** | he • is the | King • of |
 glory.

GLORIA.

PSALM 47. *Omnes gentes, plaudite.*

Praise God for His conquering Majesty.

O CLAP your hands together | all • ye | people ||
 || O sing unto **God** | with • the | voice • of |
 melody.

2 For the Lord is **high** and | to • be | feared ||
 || he is the **great** | King up- • on | all • the | earth.
 3 He shall subdue the **people** | un- • -der | us ||
 || **and** the | na- • -tions | under • our | feet.
 4 He shall choose **out** an | heri- • -tage | for us ||
 || even the **worship** of | Ja- • -cob | whom • he |
 loved.

He has triumphed.

5 God is gone **up** with a | mer- • -ry | noise ||
 || and the **Lord** with the | sound • — | of • the |
 trump.

Praise God for His universal sovereignty.

6 O sing praises, sing **praises** | unto • our | God ||
 || O sing **praises** sing | prai- • -ses | unto • our | King.
 7 For God is the **King** of | all • the | earth ||
 || **sing** ye | praises • with | un- • -der- | -standing.
 8 God **reigneth** | over • the | heathen ||
 || God **sitteth** up- | -on • his | ho- • -ly | seat.
 9 The princes of the people are joined unto the **people**
 of the | God • of | Abraham ||
 || for God, which is very high exalted, doth defend
 the **earth** as it | were • — | with • a | shield.

GLORIA.

PSALM 108. *Paratum cor meum.*

(57. 8—12; and 60. 5—12.)

Thanksgiving for deliverance.

O GOD my heart is **ready** my | heart • is | ready ||
 || I will sing and give praise with the **best** |
 mem- • -ber | that • I | have.
 2 **Awake** thou | lute • and | harp ||
 || I **myself** | will • a- | -wake • right | early.
 3 I will give thanks unto thee O **Lord** a- | -mong • the |
 people ||
 || I will sing **praises** unto | thee • a- | -mong • the |
 nations.

2nd part

4 For thy mercy is **greater** | than • the | heavens ||
 || and thy **truth** | reach- • -eth | unto • the | clouds.
 5 Set up thyself O **God** a- | -bove • the | heavens ||
 || and thy **glory** a- | -bove • — | all • the | earth.
 6 That thy **beloved** may | be • de- | -livered ||
 || let thy right hand **save** | them • and | hear • thou |
 me.

An ancient song of triumph.

7 God hath **spoken** | in • his | holiness ||
 || I will rejoice therefore and divide Sichem, and
mete | out • the | valley • of | Succoth.
 8 Gilead is **mine** and Ma- | -nasses • is | mine ||
 || Ephraim also **is** the | strength • — | of • my | head.
 9 Judah is my law-giver, **Moab** | is • my | wash-pot ||
 || over Edom will I cast out my shoe, **upon** Phi- |
 -lis- • -tia | will • I | triumph.

Prayer in present need.

10 Who will lead me **into** the | strong • — | city ||
 || and **who** will | bring • me | in- • -to | Edom ?
 11 Hast not thou **forsaken** us | O • — | God ||
 || and wilt not thou O **God** go | forth • — |
 with • our | hosts ?
 12 O **help** us a- | -against • the | enemy ||
 || for **vain** | is • the | help • of | man.
 13 Through **God** we shall | do • great | acts ||
 || and it is **he** that | shall • tread | down • our |
 enemies.

GLORIA.

WHITSUNDAY

Morning Prayer

VENITE, EXULTEMUS DOMINO.

PSALM XCV.

A call to worship.

O COME let us **sing** | unto • the | Lord ||
 || let us heartily **rejoice** in the | strength • of |
 our • sal- | -vation.
 2 Let us come before his **presence** with | thanks- • — |
 -giving ||
 || and **shew** ourselves | glad • in | him • with | psalms.

The greatness of God.

2nd part

3 For the **Lord** is a | great • — | God ||
 || and a **great** | King • a- | -bove • all | gods.
 4 In his hand are all the **corners** | of • the | earth ||
 || and the **strength** of the | hills • is | his • — | also.
 5 The **sea** is his | and • he | made it ||
 || and his **hands** pre- | -pared • the | dry • — | land.

A renewed call.

6 O come let us **worship** and | fall • — | down ||
 || and **kneel** be- | -fore • the | Lord • our | Maker.
 7 For **he** is the | Lord • our | God ||
 || and we are the people of his pasture, **and** the |
 sheep • — | of • his | hand.

Warnings against neglect.

8 To-day if ye will hear his voice, **harden** | not • your |
 hearts ||
 || as in the provocation, and as in the **day** of tempt- |
 -a- • -tion | in • the | wilderness ;
 9 When your **fathers** | tempt- • -ed | me ||
 || **proved** | me • and | saw • my | works.
 10 Forty years long was I grieved with **this** gener- |
 -ation • and | said ||
 || It is a people that do err in their hearts, **for** they |
 have • not | known • my | ways ;
 11 Unto whom I **swear** | in • my | wrath ||
 || that they **should** not | en- • -ter | into • my | rest.

GLORIA.

PSALM 48. *Magnus Dominus.*

Sion the city of God.

GREAT is the Lord, and **highly** | to • be |
 praised ||
 || in the city of our God, even up- | -on • his |
 ho- • -ly | hill.
 2 The hill of Sion is a fair place, and the **joy** of the |
 whole • — | earth ||
 || upon the north-side lieth the city of the great
 King, God is well known in her **palaces** |
 as • a | sure • — | refuge.

He has protected her ;

3 For lo the **kings** | of • the | earth ||
 || are **gathered** and | gone • — | by • to- | -gether.

4 They **marvelled** to | see • such | things ||
 || they were **astonished** and | sudden- • -ly | cast • — |
 down.

5 Fear came **there** upon | them • and | sorrow ||
 || **as** upon a | wo- • -man | in • her | travail.

6 Thou shalt break the **ships** | of • the | sea ||
 || **through** | — • the | east • — | wind.

7 Like as we have heard, so have we seen in the city
 of the Lord of hosts, in the **city** | of • our |
 God ||
 || **God** up- | -holdeth • the | same • for | ever.

and will protect her.

8 We wait for thy **loving-** | -kindness • O | God ||
 || **in** the | midst • — | of • thy | temple.

9 O God according to thy Name, so is thy **praise**
 unto the | world's • — | end ||
 || thy **right** | hand • is | full • of | righteousness.

10 Let the mount Sion rejoice, and the **daughter** of |
 Judah • be | glad ||
 || **be**- | -cause • — | of • thy | judgements.

11 Walk about Sion, and **go** | round • a- | -bout her ||
 || **and** | tell • the | towers • there- | -of.

12 Mark well her **bulwarks** set | up • her | houses ||
 || that ye may **tell** | them • that | come • — | after.

13 For this God is **our** God for | ever • and | ever ||
 || **he** shall be our | guide • — | un- • -to | death.

GLORIA.

PSALM 68. *Exurgat Deus.*

The praise of God the Ruler of the world.

LET God arise, and let **his** | enemies • be |
 || scattered ||
 || let them **also** that | hate • him | flee • be- |
 -fore him.

2 Like as the smoke vanisheth, so shalt thou **drive** |
 them • a- | -way ||
 || and like as wax melteth at the fire, so let the
 ungodly **perish** | at • the | presence • of | God.

3 But let the righteous be **glad** and re- |
 -joice be- • -fore | God ||
 || **let** them | also • be | merry • and | joyful.

4 O sing unto God, and sing **praises** | unto • his |
Name ||

|| magnify him that rideth upon the heavens as it
were upon an horse, praise him in his name
JAH | and • re- | -oice • be- | -fore him.

5 He is a Father of the fatherless, and defendeth the
cause | of • the | widows ||

|| even **God** in his | ho- • ly | ha- • bit- | -ation.

6 He is the God that maketh men to be of one mind
in an house, and bringeth the **prisoners** |
out of • capt- | -ivity ||

|| but letteth the **runagates** con- | -ti- • -nue |
in • — | scarceness.

His care for His people in the wilderness;

7 O God, when thou wentest **forth** be- | -fore • the |
people ||

|| **when** thou | went- • -est | through • the | wilderness,

8 The earth shook, and the heavens **dropped** at the |
presence • of | God ||

|| even as Sinai also was moved at the presence of
God, who **is** the | God • of | Is- • -ra- | -el.

9 Thou O God sentest a gracious **rain** upon |
thine • in- | -heritance ||

|| and **refreshed**st it | when • — | it • was | weary.

10 Thy congregation shall | dwell • there- | -in ||

|| for thou O God hast of thy **goodness** pre- |
-par- • -ed | for • the | poor.

in the conquest of Canaan;

11 The **Lord** | gave • the | word ||

|| **great** was the | compa- • -ny | of • the | preachers.

12 Kings with their armies did **flee** and | were • dis- |
-comfited ||

|| and **they** of the | household • di- | -vided • the |
spoil.

13 Though ye have lien among the pots, yet shall ye
be as the **wings** | of • a | dove ||

|| that is covered with **silver** wings | and • her |
feathers • like | gold.

14 When the Almighty scattered **kings** | for • their |
sake ||

|| **then** were they as | white • as | snow • in |
Salmon.

in the entrance into Sion.

15 As the hill of Basan, **so** is | God's • — | hill ||
 || even an **high** hill | as • the | hill • of | Basan.

16 Why hop ye so ye high hills, this is God's hill, in
 the which it **pleaseth** | him • to | dwell ||
 || yea the **Lord** will a- | -bide • in | it • for | ever.

17 The chariots of God are twenty thousand, even |
 thousands • of | angels ||
 || and the Lord is among them, as **in** the | ho- • -ly |
 place • of | Sinai.

18 Thou art gone up on high, thou hast led captivity
 captive, and received | gifts • for | men ||
 ^ || yea even for thine enemies, that the **Lord** |
 God • might | dwell • a- | -mong them.

Praise of God the Conqueror.

19 **Praised** be the | Lord • — | daily ||
 || even the God who helpeth us, and **pour**eth his |
 be- • -ne- | -fits • up- | -on us.

20 He is our God, even the God of **whom** |
 cometh • sal- | -vation ||
 || God is the **Lord** by | whom • we e- | -scape • — |
 death.

21 God shall wound the **head** | of • his | enemies ||
 || and the hairy scalp of such a one as **goeth** on |
 still • — | in • his | wickedness.

22 The Lord hath said, I will bring my people **again**
 as I | did • from | Basan ||
 || mine own will I bring again, as I did sometime
from the | deep • — | of • the | sea.

2nd part 23 That thy foot may be dipped in the **blood** |
 of • thine | enemies ||
 || and that the tongue of thy **dogs** may be | red • — |
 through • the | same.

The entrance of God into the sanctuary.

24 It is well seen **O God** | how • thou | goest ||
 || how thou my God and **King** | go- • -est | in • the |
 sanctuary.

25 The singers go before, the **minstrels** | fol- • -low |
 after ||
 || in the midst are the **damsels** | play- • -ing |
 with • the | timbrels.

26 Give thanks O Israel unto God the **Lord** in the |
 con- • -gre- | -gations ||
 || **from** the | ground • — | of • the | heart.
 27 There is little Benjamin their ruler, and the **princes**
 of | Judah • their | counsel ||
 || the princes of **Zabulon** | and • the | princes • of |
 Nephthali.

The future glory of Israel.

28 Thy God hath sent **forth** | strength • for | thee ||
 || stablish the thing O **God** that | thou • hast |
 wrought • in | us,
 29 For thy temple's **sake** | at • Je- | -rusalem ||
 || so shall **kings** bring | pre- • -sents | un- • -to |
 thee.
 30 When the company of the spear-men, and multitude
 of the mighty are scattered abroad among the
 beasts of the people, so that they **humbly** bring |
 pieces • of | silver ||
 || and when he hath scattered the **people** | that • de- |
 -light • in | war;
 31 Then shall the princes **come** | out • of | Egypt ||
 || the Morians' land shall soon stretch **out** her |
 hands • — | un- • -to | God.

The universal dominion of God in the future.

32 Sing unto God, O ye **kingdoms** | of • the |
 earth ||
 || O **sing** | prai- • -ses | unto • the | Lord ;
 33 Who sitteth in the heavens over **all** | from • the be- |
 -ginning ||
 || lo he doth send out his voice, **yea** and | that • a |
 might- • -y | voice.
 34 Ascribe ye the power to **God** over | Is- • -ra- | -el ||
 || his **worship** and | strength • is | in • the | clouds.
 35 O God, wonderful art **thou** in thy | ho- • -ly |
 places ||
 || even the God of Israel, he will give strength and
 power unto his **people** | bless- • -ed | be • — |
 God.

GLORIA.

Evening Prayer

PSALM 104. *Benedic, anima mea.*

The majesty of God in nature,

PRAISE the **Lord** | O • my | soul ||
 || O Lord my God thou art become exceeding
 glorious, thou art **clothed** with | ma- • -jes- |
 -ty • and | honour.

2 Thou deckest thyself with light as it **were** |
 with • a | garment ||

|| and spreadest **out** the | heav- • -ens | like • a |
 curtain.

3 Who layeth the beams of his **chambers** | in • the |
 waters ||

|| and maketh the clouds his chariot, and walketh
 upon the | wings • — | of • the | wind.

4 He **maketh** his | an- • -gels | spirits ||
 || and his **minis-** | -ters • a | fla- • -ming | fire.

His creative power in land and water.

5 He laid the **foundations** | of • the | earth ||
 || that it **never** should | move • at | a- • -ny | time.

6 Thou coveredst it with the deep **like** as |
 with • a | garment ||

|| the **waters** | stand • — | in • the | hills.

7 At **thy** re- | -buke • they | flee ||
 || at the **voice** of thy | thunder • they | are • a- |
 -fraid.

8 They go up as high as the hills, and **down** to the |
 valleys • be- | -neath ||

|| even unto the place which **thou** | hast • ap- |
 -point- • -ed | for them.

9 Thou hast set them their **bounds** which they |
 shall • not | pass ||

|| neither **turn** a- | -gain • to | cover • the | earth.

10 He sendeth the **springs** | into • the | rivers ||
 || **which** | run • a- | -mong • the | hills.

His provision for living things.

11 All beasts of the **field** | drink • there- | -of ||
 || and the **wild** | ass- • -es | quench • their | thirst.

12 Beside them shall the fowls of the **air** have their |
 ha- • -bit- | -ation ||

|| **and** | sing • a- | -mong • the | branches.

13 He watereth the **hills** | from • a- | -bove ||
 || the earth is **filled** with the | fruit • — | of • thy |
 works.

14 He bringeth forth **grass** | for • the | cattle ||
 || and green **herb** | for • the | service • of | men ;

2nd part 15 That he may bring food out of the earth, and wine
 that maketh **glad** the | heart • of | man ||
 || and oil to make him a cheerful countenance, and
bread to | strength- • -en | man's • — | heart.

16 The trees of the Lord also are | full • of | sap ||
 || even the cedars of **Liba-** | -nus • which |
 he • hath | planted ;

17 Wherein the **birds** | make • their | nests ||
 || and the **fir**-trees are a | dwel- • -ling | for • the |
 stork.

18 The high hills are a **refuge** for the | wild • — |
 goats ||
 || and so are the **stony** | rocks • — | for • the | conies.

The ministry of day and night.

19 He appointed the **moon** for | cer- • -tain | seasons ||
 || and the **sun** | knoweth • his | go- • -ing | down.

20 Thou makest **darkness** that it | may • be | night ||
 || wherein all the **beasts** | of • the | forest • do |
 move.

21 The lions **roaring** | after • their | prey ||
 || **do** | seek • their | meat • from | God.

22 The sun ariseth, and they **get** them a- | -way • to- |
 -gether ||
 || and **lay** them | down • — | in • their | dens.

23 Man goeth forth to his **work** and | to • his | labour ||
 || un- | — • — | -til • the | evening.

His enduring and triumphant Majesty.

24 O Lord how **manifold** | are • thy | works ||
 || in wisdom hast thou made them all, the **earth** is |
 full • — | of • thy | riches.

25 So is the **great** and | wide • sea | also ||
 || wherein are things creeping innumerable, **both** |
 small • and | great • — | beasts.

26 There go the ships, and **there** is | that • Lev- |
 -iathan ||
 || whom thou hast **made** to | take • his |
 pastime • there- | -in.

27 These **wait** | all up- • -on | thee ||
 || that thou mayest **give** them | meat • in |
 due • — | season.

28 When thou givest it **them** they | ga- • -ther | it ||
 || and when thou openest thy **hand** | they • are |
 filled • with | good.

29 When thou hidest thy **face** | they • are | troubled ||
 || when thou takest away their breath they die, and
 are **turned** a- | -gain • — | to • their | dust.

30 When thou lettest thy breath go **forth** they |
 shall • be | made ||
 || and thou shalt **renew** the | face • — | of • the | earth.

Confession of His sovereignty.

31 The glorious Majesty of the **Lord** shall en- |
 -dure • for | ever ||
 || the **Lord** shall re- | -joice • — | in • his | works.

32 The earth shall **tremble** at the | look • of | him ||
 || if he do but **touch** the | hills • — | they • shall |
 smoke.

33 I will sing unto the **Lord** as | long as • I | live ||
 || I will praise my **God** | while • I | have • my | being.

34 And **so** shall my | words • — | please him ||
 || my **joy** shall | be • — | in • the | Lord.

35 As for sinners, they shall be consumed out of the
 earth, and the **ungodly** shall | come • to an |
 end ||
 || praise thou the Lord O my **soul** | praise • — |
 — • the | Lord.

GLORIA.

PSALM 145. *Exaltabo te, Deus.*

Unceasing praise of God,

I WILL magnify **thee** O | God • my | King ||
 || and I will **praise** thy | Name • for |
 ever • and | ever.

2 Every day will I give **thanks** | un- • -to | thee ||
 || and **praise** thy | Name • for | ever • and | ever.

3 Great is the Lord, and marvellous **worthy** |
 to • be | praised ||
 || there is **no** | end • — | of • his | greatness.

4 One generation shall praise thy **works** | unto • an- |
 -other ||
 || **and** de- | -clare • — | thy • — | power.

5 As for me, I will be talking | of • thy | worship ||
 || thy **glory** thy | praise • and | won- • -drous |
 works;

6 So that men shall speak of the **might** of thy |
 mar- • -vellous | acts ||

|| and I will also | tell • — | of • thy | greatness.

2nd part 7 The memorial of thine abundant **kindness** |
 shall • be | shewed ||
 || and **men** shall | sing • — | of • thy | righteousness.

for His gracious government of men,

8 The **Lord** is | gracious • and | merciful ||
 || long-suffering | and • of | great • — | goodness.

9 The Lord is loving **unto** | ev- • -ery | man ||
 || and his **mercy** is | o- • -ver | all • his | works.

10 All thy **works** | praise • thee O | Lord ||
 || and thy **saints** give | thanks • — | un- • -to |
 thee.

11 They shew the **glory** | of • thy | kingdom ||
 || **and** | talk • — | of • thy | power;

12 That thy power, thy **glory**, and **mightiness** |
 of • thy | kingdom ||
 || **might** be | known • — | un- • -to | men.

13 Thy kingdom is an **ever-** | **last-** • -ing | kingdom ||
 || and thy **dominion** en- | -dureth • through- |
 -out • all | ages.

for His righteous Providence.

14 The Lord **upholdeth** all | such • as | fall ||
 || and lifteth **up** all | those • — | that • are | down.

15 The eyes of all **wait** upon | thee • O | Lord ||
 || and thou **givest** them their | meat • in |
 due • — | season.

16 Thou **openest** | thine • — | hand ||
 || and **fillest** | all • things | living • with |
 plenteousness.

17 The Lord is **righteous** in | all • his | ways ||
 || **and** | holy • in | all • his | works.

18 The Lord is nigh unto all **them** that |
 call • up- | -on him ||
 || yea, **all** such as | call • up- | -on • him | faithfully.

19 He will fulfil the **desire** of | them • that |
 fear him ||
 || he also will **hear** their | cry • — | and • will |
 help them.

20 The Lord **preserveth** all | them • that | love him ||
 || but scattereth **abroad** | all • — | the • un- | -godly.
 21 My mouth shall speak the **praise** | of • the |
 Lord ||
 || and let all flesh give thanks unto his **holy** |
 Name • for | ever • and | ever.

GLORIA.

SOVEREIGN'S ACCESSION

PSALM 20. *Exaudiat te Dominus.*

The people's prayer.

THE Lord **hear** thee in the | day • of | trouble ||
 || the **Name** of the | God • of | Jacob • de- |
 -fend thee.
 2 Send thee **help** | from • the | sanctuary ||
 || **and** | strengthen • thee | out • of | Sion;
 3 **Remember** | all • thy | offerings ||
 || **and** ac- | -cept • thy | burnt • — | sacrifice;
 4 **Grant** thee thy | heart's • de- | -sire ||
 || **and** ful- | -fil • — | all • thy | mind.
 5 We will rejoice in thy salvation, and triumph in the
 Name of the | Lord • our | God ||
 || the **Lord** per- | -form • all | thy • pe- | -titions.

The ruler's trust.

6 Now know I that the Lord helpeth his Anointed, and
 will **hear** him from his | ho- • -ly | heaven ||
 || even with the **wholesome** | strength • of |
 his • right | hand.
 7 Some put their trust in **chariots** and | some • in |
 horses ||
 || but we will remember the **Name** | of • the |
 Lord • our | God.
 8 **They** are brought | down • and | fallen ||
 || but **we** are | risen • and | stand • — | upright.
 9 Save Lord and **hear** us O | King • of | heaven ||
 || **when** we | call • up- | -on • — | thee.

GLORIA.

PSALM 101. *Misericordiam et judicium.*

The profession of a righteous ruler.

1 **M**Y **song** shall be of | mercy • and | judgement ||
 || unto **thee** O | Lord • — | will • I | sing.

2 **O** **let** me have | un- • -der- | -standing ||
 || **in** the | way • of | god- • -li- | -ness.

3 When wilt thou **come** | un- • -to | me ||
 || I will walk in my **house** | with • a | per- • -fect |
 heart.

4 I will take no wicked thing in hand, I hate the **sins** |
 of • un- | -faithfulness ||
 || there shall **no** such | cleave • — | un- • -to | me.

5 A froward **heart** shall de- | -part • from | me ||
 || I **will** not | know • a | wick- • -ed | person.

6 Whoso privily **slander**- | -eth • his | neighbour ||
 || **him** | — • will | I • de- | -stroy.

7 Whoso hath also a proud **look** and | high • — |
 stomach ||
 || **I** | will • not | suf- • -fer | him.

8 Mine eyes look upon such as are **faithful** | in • the |
 land ||
 || **that** | they • may | dwell • with | me.

9 Whoso **leadeth** a | god- • -ly | life ||
 || **he** | — • shall | be • my | servant.

10 There shall no deceitful person **dwell** | in • my |
 house ||
 || he that telleth **lies** shall not | tar- • -ry | in • my |
 sight.

11 I shall soon destroy all the **ungodly** that are |
 in • the | land ||
 || that I may root out all wicked doers **from** the |
 ci- • -ty | of • the | Lord.

GLORIA.

PSALM 121. *Levavi oculos.*

The pilgrim's faith.

1 **I** WILL lift up mine **eyes** | unto • the | hills ||
 || **from** | whence • — | cometh • my | help.

2 My help cometh **even** | from • the | Lord ||
 || **who** hath | made • — | heaven • and | earth.

Divine promises.

- 3 He will not suffer thy **foot** | to • be | moved ||
|| and **he** that | keepeth • thee | will • not | sleep.
- 4 Behold, he that **keepeth** | Is- • -ra- | -el ||
|| **shall** | nei- • -ther | slumber • nor | sleep.
- 5 The Lord **himself** | is • thy | keeper ||
|| the Lord is thy **defence** up- | -on • thy | right • — |
hand ;
- 6 So that the sun shall not **burn** | thee • by | day ||
|| **neither** the | moon • — | by • — | night.
- 7 The Lord shall **preserve** thee from | all • — | evil ||
|| yea it is even **he** | that • shall | keep • thy | soul.
- 8 The Lord shall preserve thy going **out** and thy |
com- • -ing | in ||
|| from **this** time | forth • for | ev- • -er- | -more.

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